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THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF NURSING

Courses for trained nurses in preparation for :—

(a) **Health Visiting.** Six months' course.

(b) **Industrial Nursing.** Whole time courses for those taking up work in industry and correspondence courses for nurses in industry.

(c) **Nurse Teachers.** One year whole-time. Two years' part-time.

(d) **Dietetic Course.** Eighteen months' whole-time.

Apply to the Director, Education Department, Royal College of Nursing, 1a, Henrietta Place, Cavendish Square, W.1. (8)

THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF NURSING

MIDWIFE TEACHERS' CERTIFICATE

The Royal College of Nursing and the College of Midwives are hoping to arrange a course of instruction in preparation for the midwife teachers' examination of the Central Midwives Board, starting on 1st October, 1942

Fee for the course : Part I, £7 7s.; Part II £2 2s.

Application should be received not later than 12th September, 1942.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Director in the Education Department, Royal College of Nursing, 1a, Henrietta Place, Cavendish Square, London, W.1. (44)

THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF NURSING

A Course of Instruction in preparation for Part II of the **Midwife Teachers'** certificate examination (which will probably be conducted towards the end of November, 1942) will begin on **Wednesday, 5th August, 1942,** at 2.30 p.m. at the Royal College of Nursing.

Fee £2 2s.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Director in the Education Department, Royal College of Nursing, 1a, Henrietta Place, Cavendish Square, London, W.1. (43)

THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF NURSING

Evening Lectures for Industrial and Public Health Nurses. *see page* 413 Royal College of Nursing News. (86)

ROYAL COLLEGE OF NURSING

INDUSTRIAL NURSING COURSE

Four Bursaries of ten guineas each are being offered for the three months' industrial nursing course starting on 16th September, 1942.

Applications should be received by the Director in the Education Department, Royal College of Nursing, 1a, Henrietta Place, W.1, not later than 5th September, 1942. (1268)

TRAINING AND LECTURE COURSES

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NATIONAL HEALTH SOCIETY

HEALTH VISITORS

Training Course for Health Visitors, etc., in preparation for Examinations approved by the Ministry of Health.

For particulars apply to Secretary, National Health Society, 90, Buckingham Palace Road, S.W. 1. (6)

BIRMINGHAM MATERNITY HOSPITAL

A Course of preparation for the Gas and Air Analgesics Certificate will be held at the Birmingham Maternity Hospital, Loveday Street. Lectures August 27th and September 10th at 2.0 p.m. Examination October 8th at 2.0 p.m. (1380)

The Course of Lectures on Tuberculosis at the Brompton Hospital, Fulham Road, will be held on Tuesdays and Fridays from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. commencing September 1st.

For further particulars apply to the Matron. (1419)

PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES

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BOROUGH OF SOUTHGATE

Applications are invited for the post of **Temporary Health Visitor.** Candidates must be State-registered Nurses possessing the Health Visitors' Certificate or other qualifications recognized by the Minister of Health, and the certificate of the Central Midwives Board. Salary £200, rising (subject to satisfactory service) by two annual increments of £20 each and one of £10, to £250 per annum, with uniform allowance (£10) and cycle allowance (£3). The appointment will be for a period not exceeding two years in the first instance, subject nevertheless to termination by either party on giving one month's notice.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, accompanied by copies of not more than two recent testimonials must be received by the undersigned not later than first post on Wednesday, 19th August, 1942.

GORDON H. TAYLOR,
Town Clerk

Town Hall,
Palmers Green, N.13. (1221)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF ST. HELENS

ORTHOPAEDIC CLINIC

A whole-time **Orthopaedic After-care Nurse** is required for the above. Her duties, under the supervision of the Orthopaedic Surgeon, who attends approximately once fortnightly, will consist of carrying out at the Orthopaedic Clinic the usual after-care treatment (massage, remedial exercises and adjusting splints, etc.) and in visiting cases in their own homes. Candidates must have orthopaedic experience and should possess the three certificates of the Chartered Society of Massage and Medical Gymnastics.

Commencing salary £202 10s. per annum, rising by one annual increment of £11 10s. and two annual increments of £11 to a maximum of £236 per annum, subject to satisfactory service, plus a temporary war cost-of-living bonus at present at the rate of 10s. per week and plus an allowance for motor car if used in connection with the Council's business.

The appointment is subject to the provisions of the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and the successful candidate will be required to pass a medical examination.

Applications, stating full qualifications and experience, accompanied by not more than three recent testimonials, to be forwarded to the Medical Officer of Health, Town Hall, St. Helens (from whom any further particulars may be obtained), not later than the 21st August, 1942.

FRANK HAUXWELL,
Town Hall, Medical Officer of Health
St. Helens.
1st August, 1942. (1158)

BOROUGH OF BATLEY

HEALTH VISITOR AND SCHOOL NURSE

Applications are invited for the above position (one of five). Candidates must be fully trained nurses and possess the qualifications required by the Ministry of Health and Board of Education. Salary £200 per annum, rising by annual increments of £10 per annum to £240, plus a cost-of-living bonus, subject to the provisions of the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937. Uniform will be provided. Applications must be on forms obtainable from the undersigned on receipt of a stamped addressed envelope.

WM. J. FRAIN, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H.,
Medical Officer of Health.
(1183)

NON-MEDICAL SUPERVISORS OF MIDWIVES

The London County Council invite applications for two additional positions of **Non-medical Supervisor of Midwives.** Salary £375 (£400 in special circumstances)—£25—£475, plus a cost-of-living addition. Candidates must be State-registered Nurses and State-certified Midwives, comply with the Ministry of Health regulations as to experience in domiciliary midwifery, and should have had some experience in a supervisory capacity. Application form obtainable (stamped addressed foolscap envelope necessary) from Medical Officer of Health (S.D.5), County Hall, London, S.E.1. returnable by 29th August, 1942. Canvassing disqualifies. (1169)

COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE WEST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE

TUBERCULOSIS DISPENSARY NURSE

Applications are invited for the appointment of a fully-trained **Tuberculosis Dispensary Nurse.**

Salary £150 per annum, rising by increments of £10 to £220 plus cost-of-living bonus, together with uniform and bicycle allowances, or, if also in possession of the Health Visitor's Certificate in accordance with the Regulations of the Ministry of Health, £200 per annum, rising by increments of £240.

Further particulars and forms of application may be had from the undersigned, by whom all applications, with copies of not more than three recent testimonials, must be received not later than the 31st August, 1942.

CHARLES McGRATH,
County Hall, Clerk of the County Council
Wakefield.
August, 1942. (1352)

BOROUGH OF ILFORD

MIDWIVES ACT, 1936

APPOINTMENT OF MIDWIFE

The Corporation invite applications for the above-mentioned appointment, particulars of which are set out hereunder, viz. :—

State Registered Nurses : £200 per annum plus a 10 per cent. temporary war cost of living bonus, rising on satisfactory service by £10 annually to £250; plus allowances.

Non-State-registered Nurses : £180 per annum plus a 10 per cent. temporary war cost-of-living bonus, rising on satisfactory service by £5 annually to £220; plus allowances.

Allowances : Uniform, £10 per annum. Equipment : (Provided by the Council); Telephone. Payment of rental and all official calls; Cycle allowance according to scale.

The person appointed will carry out, under the direction of the Medical Office of Health, work in connection with the Midwifery services of the Corporation and will be required to devote the whole of her time to the duties of the office.

Applicants must hold the certificate of the Central Midwives Board and the successful applicant will be required to reside in the Ward to which assigned; be subject to the staff regulations of the Council for the time being in force, and must be able and willing to cycle.

The appointment will be subject to the provisions of the Local Government Superannuation Acts, and the Midwives Act, 1936, and the selected applicant will be required to pass a medical examination to the satisfaction of the Medical Officer of Health.

Further particulars and forms of application may be obtained on application, accompanied by stamped and addressed foolscap envelope, to the undersigned, to whom completed forms must be returned with copies of not more than three recent testimonials not later than Friday, the 21st August, 1942.

Canvassing directly or indirectly will be a disqualification.

CHARLES N. ROBERTS
Town Hall, Ilford. Town Clerk.
1st August, 1942. (1139)

SOUTH WEST ESSEX TECHNICAL COLLEGE AND SCHOOL OF ART

Forest Road, Walthamstow, E.17.

Principal : H. Lowery, M. Ed.; Ph.D.; D.Sc.; F.Inst.P.

Sister Tutors' Course. A new Part-time Course (Tuesday and Friday afternoons) for Nurses wishing to qualify as Teachers will commence on 15th September, 1942.

Full particulars may be obtained on application to the Principal at the College. (1431)

HARROW URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

APPOINTMENT FOR HEALTH VISITOR

Applications are invited from duly qualified persons for the above-mentioned appointment.

The salary will be at the rate of £240 per annum, rising by annual increments of £10 to £280 per annum; a cost of living bonus of 10s. per week is also payable. In addition to salary, a uniform allowance of £10 per annum, a cycle allowance of £4 per annum or out of pocket travelling expenses will be paid.

The appointment will be subject to the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937.

Applications, accompanied by copies of not more than three recent testimonials, must be sent, endorsed "Health Visitor," not later than the 29th August, 1942, to the Medical Officer of Health, Public Health Department, Council Offices, High Street, Harrow-on-the-Hill, from whom application forms may be obtained on receipt of an addressed envelope.

Canvassing, directly or indirectly, will be a disqualification.

VERNON YOUNGER,
Clerk of the Council.
Harrow Weald Lodge,
Harrow, Middlesex. (1449)

HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

APPOINTMENT OF HEALTH VISITOR AND SCHOOL NURSE

Applications are invited for the post of third **Health Visitor and School Nurse** at Watford, at a salary of £230 per annum rising by annual increments of £10 to £260 per annum plus temporary cost of living bonus, with uniform and bicycle allowance. Candidates must be State-registered Nurses and hold the Health Visitors Certificate. The Duties will comprise Infant Welfare Work, medical inspection and treatment of School children, home visitation, attendances at Clinics, and any other Public Health work that may be required.

The appointment will be subject to the provisions of the Local Government and Other Officers Superannuation Act, 1937, and the successful candidate will be required to pass a medical examination.

Forms of application may be obtained from :—

THE COUNTY MEDICAL OFFICER,
County Medical Department,
County Hall,
Hertford. (1104)

CITY OF PLYMOUTH

MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH'S DEPARTMENT

MUNICIPAL MIDWIFERY SERVICE

Applications are invited for the appointment of a **Municipal Midwife** at a salary of £200 per annum for a State-certified Midwife, and £200 rising by annual increments of £10 to £230 for a State-certified Midwife who is also a State-registered Nurse. A war bonus amounting to 10s. per week is paid on both salaries.

Recent midwifery experience is essential. The appointment will be terminable by two months' notice on either side and the person appointed will be required to reside within a specified area.

The successful applicant will be required to contribute to the Council's Superannuation Scheme and to pass a medical examination. Uniform, equipment and necessary transport will be provided.

Forms of application may be obtained from the undersigned and should be returned as soon as possible in an envelope endorsed "Municipal Midwife" together with copies of not more than three recent testimonials.

T. PEIRSON,
Medical Officer of Health.
Seven Trees.
Lipson Road, Plymouth. (1271)

COUNTY OF THE CITY OF WORCESTER

HEALTH VISITOR AND SCHOOL NURSE

Applications are invited for the above appointment.

Candidates should be General Trained Nurses, holding the Certificate of the Central Midwives' Board and the New Health Visitors' Certificate. Commencing salary, £200 or more, according to experience, plus £26, war bonus, rising by £5 a year to £240, with £12 10s. a year allowance for uniform; bicycle provided.

The appointment is subject to the provisions of the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937.

Forms of application may be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health, Guildhall, Worcester, and should be returned to him, with copies of three recent testimonials, not later than the 29th August, 1942.

C. H. DIGBY-SEYMOUR
Guildhall, Town Clerk.
Worcester.
6th August, 1942. (1349)

CHESHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

TEMPORARY HEALTH VISITOR FOR CHEADLE

Applications are invited for a temporary post as **Health Visitor** to reside at Cheadle, near Stockport. Salary £4 2s. per week.

Applications stating age, qualifications and experience, to be sent in at once to the undersigned.

IAN MACKAY,
County Medical Officer of Health
County Public Health Dept.,
24, Nicholas Street,
Chester. (1291)

BOROUGH OF CLITHEROE

WAR-TIME NURSERIES

APPOINTMENT OF MATRON AND DEPUTY MATRON

Applications are invited for the following temporary appointments at a full-time War-time Nursery shortly to be opened in the Borough.

(1) **Matron** at a salary from £180 to £220 per annum (according to qualifications and experience) with initial uniform allowance of £10, and thereafter an allowance of £5 per annum for replacement.

(2) **Deputy Matron** at a salary from £160 to £180 per annum according to qualifications and experience.

Applicants should be State-registered General or State-registered Children's Nurses and those possessing fever training will be preferred.

The appointment will be for the period of the present emergency and subject to one month's notice on either side.

Applications, stating age, qualifications, present and past appointments and experience, accompanied by two recent testimonials enclosed in a envelope endorsed "War-time Nursery Appointment," should reach the undersigned not later than 19th August, 1942.

Canvassing directly or indirectly will be deemed a disqualification.

G. HETHERINGTON,
Town Clerk's Office, Town Clerk
Clitheroe.
7th August, 1942 (1171)

To ensure insertion and correct classification, all advertisements must reach the Manager, *Nursing Times*, Messrs. Macmillan & Co., Ltd., St. Martin's Street, London, W.C.2 by 12 noon Wednesday (see page XIII for late unclassified advertisements.)

CHESHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
APPOINTMENT OF HEALTH VISITOR

Applications are invited for a post as **Health Visitor** to reside at Northwich.

Candidates must be under 35 years of age, fully trained nurses, possess the Certificate of the Central Midwives Board and the Health Visitor's Certificate approved by the Ministry of Health.

Salary £190 per annum, rising by £10 annually to £250, plus a war bonus of £26 per annum, with cycle, uniform, and all travelling expenses.

Applications on forms to be obtained from the undersigned should be received by the 29th August, 1942.

IAN MACKAY,
County Medical Officer of Health.
County Public Health Department,
24, Nicholas Street,
Chester. (1290)

CITY OF LEICESTER
HEALTH VISITOR

The Health Committee of the Leicester Corporation invite applications for the appointment of a **Health Visitor** for Maternity and Child Welfare work. Must hold qualifications as required by the Ministry of Health.

Salary £200 per annum, rising according to the Council's grading scheme and subject to satisfactory service, to £250 per annum, with uniform provided. There is, in addition, a cost-of-living bonus of £26 per annum.

The post is designated under the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937.

Forms of application may be obtained from the undersigned, and applications, accompanied by copies of testimonials, to be sent to me.

Please mention this paper.

WILFRID CARR,
Secretary.
Health Department,
Grey Friars,
Leicester.
August, 1942. (1293)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF PRESTON
APPOINTMENT OF MUNICIPAL MIDWIFE

Applications are invited for the position of **Municipal Midwife.** Applicants must be State Registered Nurses and also hold the Central Midwives Board Certificate. Salary, £184 to £210 plus £26 war bonus. Uniform will be provided.

Application forms from the undersigned, to be returned, together with copies of three recent testimonials, by the 29th August, 1942.

H. E. NUTTER:
Town Clerk.
(1294)

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH
DOMICILIARY SERVICE OF MIDWIVES

Applications are invited for the appointment of **State Certified Midwives,** at the following scales of salary :—

For Midwives who are also State Registered Nurses—£180-£240 by £10 per annum.

For Midwives who are not State Registered Nurses—£160-£220 by £10 by annum.

Both with war bonus, at present amounting to £26 per annum.

The commencing salary will depend upon the number of years of district experience, and an increment of £10 per annum for each year's experience will be given, with a maximum of £40. Emoluments include uniform, bags and equipment, laundry, a telephone installed in the Midwife's home and travelling allowance.

The successful applicants may be required to give their services to Portsmouth mothers who are evacuated to the Ministry of Health's Emergency Maternity Homes.

The appointments will be subject to the provisions of the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and the successful applicants will be required to pass a medical examination.

Forms of applications and conditions of appointment may be obtained from and must be returned to the Medical Officer of Health, Northern Secondary School, Portsmouth, not later than Wednesday, 26th August, 1942.

Canvassing will be a disqualification.

F. J. SPARKS,
Municipal Offices, Town Clerk.
Royal Beach Hotel,
Southsea.
7th August, 1942. (1306)

BOROUGH OF ACCRINGTON
APPOINTMENT OF HEALTH VISITOR AND SCHOOL NURSE (Temporary)

Applications are invited for the temporary post of **Health Visiter** and **School Nurse** from fully trained nurses with the C.M.B. and Health Visitor's Certificates.

The salary is at the rate of £202 10s., rising by annual increments to £236 (plus cost of living bonus).

The appointment is a temporary one terminable by 2 month's notice on either side. It is expected to be in the first place for the duration of the war, but should a vacancy on the permanent staff occur during that period, the temporary appointee will be considered for such vacancy. Applications giving full particulars of qualifications and experience and accompanied by not more than three recent testimonials should be forwarded to the undersigned as soon as possible.

W. H. WARHURST,
Town Clerk's Office, Town Clerk.
Accrington.
August, 1942. (1315)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Tuberculosis Nurse required for extra-Metropolitan Area. Salary scale £170 a year and allowances, rising by annual increments of £10 to £220 a year. Forms of application, containing further particulars obtainable from the Clerk of the County Council, County Hall, Chelmsford, should be returned to him not later than Monday, the 24th August, 1942. (1198)

RHONDDA URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL
HEALTH VISITOR AND SCHOOL NURSE

Applications are invited from persons, under 45 years of age, who are qualified to act as **Health Visitor** and **School Nurse,** at a salary of £200, rising by annual increments of £10 to £250 per annum, plus war bonus, at present amounting to £26 per annum. The commencing salary will be determined by the Council after consideration of the successful applicant's previous experience (if any) as a Health Visitor. Forms of application and conditions of appointment may be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health, Tydfil House, Pentre, Rhondda, by whom completed applications must be received not later than Wednesday, the 26th August, 1942.

D. J. JONES,
Clerk of the Council.
(1126)

CITY OF POSTMOUTH
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Health Visiter School Nurse.** Candidates must be State Registered Nurses, State Certified Midwives, and possess the Health Visitors' Certificate of the Royal Sanitary Institute.

The duties will be concerned mainly with Maternity and Child Welfare, but the successful applicant will be required to carry out other duties as may from time to time be allotted by the Chief Administrative Medical Officer or the School Medical Officer.

The salary will be at the rate of £200 per annum, rising by annual increments of £10 to £250, together with temporary Cost of Living Bonus according to the Whitley Council Scale, which is at present at the rate of £26 per annum. The position is subject to the provisions of the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and the successful candidate will be required to pass a medical examination.

Application forms may be obtained from and must be returned, with three recent testimonials, to the Chief Administrative Medical Officer, Northern Secondary School, Portsmouth, not later than Wednesday, 26th August, 1942

Canvassing will be a disqualification.

F. J. SPARKS,
Municipal Offices, Town Clerk.
Royal Beach Hotel,
Southsea.
7th August, 1942. (1307)

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE NEWBIGGIN HALL, BLANCHLAND, CO. DURHAM.
(65 BEDS)

Applications are invited for the post of **Matron** at the above Hospital, which is a hospital set up under the direction of the Ministry of Health for the treatment of aged and infirm sick.

Applicants must be general trained State-registered Nurses and have had previous administrative experience.

Salary £200 per annum, together with board residence, laundry and uniform.

The post is not superannuable under the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, but if person appointed is already paying under the Act she will be allowed to continue her contributions.

Free travel will be allowed once per week between the hospital and Shotley Bridge or Consett.

Applications, stating age, particulars of training and experience, together with copies of two recent testimonials, to be forwarded to the Medical Officer of Health, Health Department, Town Hall, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 1., not later than 20th August, 1942. (1133)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF BURNLEY
WAR-TIME NURSERY STAFF

The following staff is required for War-time Nurseries :

Matrons.—Must be State-registered, General or Children trained Nurses. Salary £180 to £220 per annum, according to qualifications and experience. A deduction will be made for board and lodging.

Deputy Matron.—Must be State Registered, General or Children trained Nurses or certificated Nursery-trained Nurses. Salary £160 to £180 per annum, according to qualifications and experience. A deduction will be made for board and lodging.

Certificated Nursery Nurses.—Salary £135 to £150 per annum, according to qualifications and experience. They will not reside in the Nurseries but a deduction will be made for meals supplied when on duty.

Applications, giving full particulars of experience, with testimonials, to be made as soon as possible to the Medical Officer of Health, Public Health Department, St. James's Street, Burnley.

ARCHIBALD GLEN,
Town Hall, Burnley. Town Clerk.
28th July, 1942. (1125)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF CROYDON
WAR-TIME DAY NURSERY
TENNISON ROAD, SOUTH NORWOOD

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Matron** from State-registered Nurses who have had practical experience in the directions and administration of day nurseries. The possession of a State-registered Fever Nurses' Certificate would be an additional qualification. Applicants should not be over 45 years of age and must be prepared to reside on the premises. The Nursery is for approximately 20 babies under 18 months and 40 toddlers up to 5 years of age. The salary will be £200 per annum with board lodging, laundry etc. The post is not superannuable.

Application forms, together with further details of the duties, may be obtained by sending a stamped foolscap envelope to the Medical Officer of Health, 20, Katharine Street, Croydon, to whom completed application should be sent on or before Saturday 22nd August.

E. TABERNER,
Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Croydon.
31.7.42. (1251)

BOROUGH OF ILFORD EDUCATION COMMITTEE
RESIDENT MATRON FOR KENNYLANDS CAMP SCHOOL, near Reading

Applications are invited from suitably qualfied women for a position as **Resident Matron** (medical duties only) in this Camp School.

Salary £200 per annum with full board and lodging and £10 allowance for uniform and laundry. Separate quarters are provided.

The appointment will be made at once and is for the duration of the war.

Candidates must be State Registered Nurses and possession of the Health Visitor's Certificate will be regarded as an advantage.

Forms of application (returnable not later than 25th August), together with full particulars of the camp and conditions of appointment, may be obtained by sending a stamped addressed foolscap envelope to the undersigned.

V. H. HOSKIN,
Education Offices, Director of Education.
Town Hall, Ilford.
7th August, 1942. (1301)

BOROUGH OF SWINDON
WAR-TIME NURSERY

Wanted immediately, State-registered, general trained Nurse as **Matron** for the third war-time Nursery at Swindon, Wiltshire, non-residential post. Experience as Ward Sister and in administration essential. Commencing salary £200 per annum with £5 uniform allowance.

Wanted immediately, State-registered, General or Children's trained Nurse as **Sister** for above war-time nursery, non-residential post. Salary £180 per annum with £5 uniform allowance.

Applications should be addressed to the undersigned.

D. MURRAY JOHN,
Civic Offices, Town Clerk.
Swindon.
27th July, 1942. (1328)

WAR-TIME NURSERIES

Required immediately, a **Matron** (S.R.N.) for the above Nurseries. Testimonials direct to the Town Clerk, Town Hall, Watford. (1338)

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications are invited for the post of **Matron** of the Kilton Hill County Hospital, Worksop (328 beds). Candidates should not be over 45 and should be State-registered Nurses and State Certified Midwives. The commencing salary will be £220 per annum rising, subject to satisfactory service, by annual increments of £10 to £250 per annum. Residential emoluments will be provided and a war bonus will be paid in accordance with the County Council's Scale.

Application Forms and Conditions of Appointment may be obtained from the County Medical Officer, Shire Hall, Nottingham, to whom completed applications should be submitted not later than 3rd September 1942.

K. TWEEDALE MEABY,
Clerk of the County Council.
Shire Hall,
Nottingham.
August, 1942. (1422)

METROPOLITAN BOROUGH OF STEPNEY

Applications are invited for the temporary engagement of **Matrons, Deputy Matrons, Nursery Trained Nurses, Probationers** (not under 16 years of age), and **Assistant Nursery School Teachers,** at the Council's War-time Day Nurseries.

Remuneration will be in accordance with the scales laid down by the Ministry of Health and/or the Board of Education.

Applications in candidate's own handwriting, stating qualifications and experience, and accompanied by copies of not more than three recent testimonials, should be forwarded to me.

No forms of application are being issued.

J. E. ARNOLD JAMES, Town Clerk.
Municipal Offices (Temporary),
Queen Mary College,
Mile End Road, E.1.
1st August, 1942. (1278)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF BLACKBURN
WAR-TIME NURSERY

Applications are invited for the post of **Resident Deputy Matron.** Applicants should be State-registered General or State-registered Children's Nurses, or Certificated Nursery Trained Nurses with some Institutional experience. Salary £160 per annum (plus 10s. per week war bonus), subject to an annual deduction of £7 for meals etc. taken in the Nursery.

Forms of application from the Medical Officer of Health, Victoria Street, Blackburn, to be returned to him by September 3rd, 1942.

CHAS. S. ROBINSON,
Town Clerk.
(1321)

BOLTON CORPORATION
WAR-TIME NURSERIES

Applications are invited for the following appointments :—

Matron, who should be a State-registered nurse or children's nurse. Salary £130 per annum plus bonus, together with residential emoluments valued at £70 per annum.

Staff nurses, who should have had some training and experience in the care of young children. Salary £90 per annum, plus bonus together with residential emoluments.

Applications for the above appointments, stating age and qualifications, together with copies of two testimonials should be sent to the Medical Officer of Health, Civic Centre, Bolton, not later than the 27th August, 1942.

PHILIP S. RENNISON,
Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Bolton.
14th August, 1942. (1323)

BOROUGH OF DARTFORD

Applications are invited for the temporary appointment of **Matron** at the Wardley Nursery.

Salary £180 per annum, rising by annual increments of £20 to £220 per annum (plus uniform).

Candidates must be State-registered Nurses, and have experience with children and in administration.

Applications, endorsed "Matron," stating age, qualifications, and details of experience, accompanied by copies of two testimonials, must reach the undersigned not later than Wednesday, the 26th August, 1942.

J. JAMES HURTLEY, Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office, Dartford.
5th August, 1942. (1304)

BOROUGH OF OSSETT
WAR-TIME NURSERY (WHOLE-TIME)
APPOINTMENT OF MATRON AND DEPUTY MATRON

Applications are invited for the following non-residential positions :—

(a) **Matron** at a salary of £180-£220 per annum, according to experience, plus an initial uniform allowance of £10 and £6 per annum for replacements. Candidates must be State-registered Nurses or State-registered Chuldren's Nurses.

(b) **Deputy Matron** at a salary of £160-£180 per annum, according to experience. Candidates to be State-registered Nurses, State-registered Children's Nurses or Certificated Nursery trained Nurses with some institutional experience.

The appointments will be terminable by one month's notice on either side, and will be subject to the provisions of the Local Government Superanuation Act, 1937.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, together with copies of two recent testimonials, should be sent to the Medical Officer of Health, Croft House, Ossett, not later than the 29th August, 1942.

GEORGE M. OLIVER,
Acting Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Ossett, Yorks.
11th August, 1942. (1307)

WARNEFORD GENERAL HOSPITAL LEAMINGTON SPA

Peace-time Complement—184 beds.
Present Complement—259 beds.

Applications are invited from members of the Pharmaceutical Society for the post of **Pharmacist.**

Salary at the rate of £250 p.a. with lunch and tea. Federated Superannuation Scheme for Nurses and Hospital Officers in operation.

Applications with copies of three recent testimonials should be addressed to the undersigned.

W. A. JAMES,
House Governor and Secretary.
(1280)

THE LONDON HOSPITAL, E.1

A Superintendent **Radiographer** is required to take charge of the X-ray Department (including Diagnosis and Therapy) with a view to opening a training school for Radiographers in the near future. S.R.N. and M.S.R. an essential qualification and preference will be given to an applicant with F.S.R. Salary £300—£400 p.a. according to qualifications and experience. Applications should be made giving details of age, qualifications and experience, enclosing 2 copies of recent testimonials and giving 2 names for reference purposes before September 8th to the Matron. (1300)

LANCASTER AND DISTRICT ISOLATION HOSPITAL, LANCASTER
FEVER TRAINING SCHOOL (118 BEDS)

Assistant Matron and Sister Tutor required (combined post). Must be both General and Fever State-registered Nurse, not exceeding 40 years of age, with experience as Ward Sister, and competent to teach in accordance with the General Nursing Council syllabus for the Fever Certificate. Salary £130 rising by annual increments to a maximum of £160 per annum, plus war bonus, with board, residence and laundry. One month's holiday with board allowance of 35s. per week.

The post is designated under the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and the successful candidate will be required to pass a medical examination.

Applications stating age, qualifications and experience, together with copies of two testimonials to be sent to the Matron. (994)

COUNTY INFIRMARY CARMARTHEN

Assistant Matron, Sister Tutor (combined post). State salary required. Uniform provided. F.S.S. in force. Apply with full particulars enclosing copies of three recent testimonials by Tuesday, August 18th to the Secretary. (1182)

LANARK DISTRICT ASYLUM, HARTWOOD

Assistant Matron required for alternate day and night duty (three to six months). R.M.P.A. Certificate and General Training. The appointment is subject to provisions of Asylum Officers' Superannuation Act, 1909. Salary £110 rising to £180 per annum, plus war bonus (at present 15 per cent.) and overtime over 48 hrs. per week.

Apply, with testimonials and full particulars, to the Medical Superintendent, Hartwood, Shotts, Lanarkshire. (1109)

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL
DOVER INSTITUTION AND EMERGENCY HOSPITAL

Applications are invited for the appointment for **Assistant Matron** who will also act as **Deputy Matron.** Qualifications required:—S.R.N. and Housekeeping certificate. Salary £145 to £185 a year by £10 increments. Residential emoluments. Uniform. Superannuation. Medical examination necessary.

Application forms and further particulars obtainable from the Public Assistance Officer County Hall, Maidstone.

W. L. PLATTS,
Clerk of the County Council.

County Hall,
Maidstone.
1st August, 1942. (1201)

LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL

Administrative Nursing Staff required in the mental health services.

First Assistant Matron—at Mill Hill Hospital, Mill Hill, N.W.7. Salary £255 rising by £7 10s. to £300 a year, plus cost-of-living addition. Married women eligible.

Second Assistant Matron—at Leavesden Hospital (for mental defectives), Abbots Langley, Herts. Salary £245 rising by £7 10s. to £290 a year, plus cost-of-living addition. Pensionable.

In all positions:—Candidates must hold general training certificate; preference given to those holding also recognised diploma of proficiency in mental nursing (mental deficiency nursing at Leavesden). Charges are made for board, lodging, etc. For application form, returnable by 28th August, 1942, send stamped addressed foolscap envelope to the Medical Officer of Health (9/A), Mental Health Services, West Park Hospital, Epsom, Surrey. (1326)

GENERAL INFIRMARY, BURTON-ON-TRENT.

Assistant Matron required. Candidates must be S.R.N., S.C.M. and hold a Housekeeping Certificate, and have held Home Sister's and Night Sister's posts, and must be under 40 years of age. Commencing salary £170 per annum and uniform material. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply to Matron. (1339)

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL OF DARTFORD

Applications are invited for the appointments of (a) **Deputy Matron** and (b) **Certificated Nursery Trained Nurse** for the Council's War-time Nursery established at "The Lawns," Church Path, Stone.

The salary approved by the Ministry of Health is (a) £105 per annum, and (b) £70 per annum, together with the usual residential emoluments. The appointments are subject to satisfactory service and to termination by one month's notice on either side.

Forms of application can be obtained from the undersigned and should be returned by the 24th August, 1942.

ERNEST JAMES, Clerk.

Council Offices,
West Hill, Dartford.
6th August, 1942. (1280)

CAERNARVONSHIRE & ANGLESEY INFIRMARY BANGOR

Sister Tutor required in October. Salary according to experience. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply stating age and experience to Matron. (1335)

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Vacancies for **Nursing Staff** at Municipal Hospitals:—

In all the undermentioned cases, except non-resident appointments, emoluments consisting of full board, lodging, laundry and uniform, together valued at £70 p.a., for superannuation purposes, and cash war bonus of 3s. p.w. are additional to the salary except where otherwise stated.

COMMENCING SALARY ACCORDING TO EXPERIENCE.

All appointments unless of a temporary nature are subject to the provisions of the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937.

SISTER TUTOR / SECOND ASSISTANT MATRON at:—
Surrey County Sanatorium, Milford, Near Godalming.

Candidates must be S.R.N. and hold Sister Tutor's certificate. Salary £160 by £5—£180 p.a.

SECOND SISTER-TUTOR at:—
Kingston County Hospital, Wolverton Avenue Kingston-on-Thames. Candidates must be S.R.N. and hold Sister-Tutor's certificate. Salary £160 by £5 to £180 p.a.

DEPUTY SISTER-IN-CHARGE OF MATERNITY UNIT required at:—
Epsom County Hospital, Dorking Road, Epsom

Candidates must have Sister Tutor's qualifications. Salary grade £140 by £5 to £180 p.a.

JUNIOR ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS at:—
Botleys Park War Hospital, Near Chertsey, Surrey

Candidates must be S.R.N.. Salary £160 p.a. Post temporary for duration of war.

ASSISTANT HOME SISTER and
ASSISTANT HOUSEKEEPING SISTER at:—
St. Helier County Hospital, Carshalton.

Candidates must hold Housekeeping Certificate. Salary £110 by £5 to £130 p.a.

SENIOR NIGHT SISTER at:—
St. Helier County Hospital, Carshalton.

Candidates must be S.R.N., S.C. Salary £105 by £5 to £125 p.a.

THEATRE SISTER at:—
Epsom County Hospital, Dorking Road, Epsom
St. Helier County Hospital, Carshalton.

Candidates must be S.R.N. and preference given to those with Theatre experience. Salary £100 by £5 to £120 per annum.

WARD SISTERS at:—
St. Helier County Hospital, Carshalton.
Surrey County Sanatorium, Milford, Near Godalming
Kingston County Hospital, Wolverton Avenue, Kingston-on-Thames

Candidates must be S.R.N. and have had experience as a Staff Nurse. Salary grade £95 by £5 to £115 p.a.

SURGICAL WARD SISTER at:—
Surrey County Sanatorium, Milford Near Godalming.

Candidates must be S.R.N. and preferably experienced in Thoracic surgical nursing. Salary grade £95 by £5 to £115.

JUNIOR NIGHT SISTER at:—
Warren Road Hospital, Guildford

Candidates must be S.R.N. and have had experience as a Staff Nurse. Salary grade £95 by £5 to £115 per annum.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS at:—
St. Helier County Hospital, Carshalton.
Farnham County Hospital, Hale Road, Farnham
Epsom County Hospital, Dorking Road, Epsom

Candidates must be general trained and S.C.M. Salary grade £95 by £5 to £115 p.a.

WARD SISTER FOR ISOLATION BLOCK at:
St. Helier County Hospital, Carshalton.
Warren Road Hospital, Guildford

Candidates must be S.R.N., S.C.M., and R.F.N. Salary grade £95 by £5 to £115 p.a.

WARD SISTERS FOR CHILDREN'S UNIT at:—
St. Helier County Hospital, Carshalton

Candidates must be S.R.N., S.R.C.N. Salary £95 by £5 to £115 p.a.

APPLICATIONS FOR PRECEDING APPOINTMENTS TO THE COUNTY MEDICAL OFFICER, COUNTY HALL, KINGSTON-ON-THAMES.

STAFF MIDWIVES at:—
St. Helier County Hospital, Carshalton.
Warren Road Hospital, Guildford
Farnham County Hospital, Hale Road, Farnham
Kingston County Hospital, Wolverton Avenue, Kingston-upon-Thames
Epsom County Hospital, Dorking Road, Epsom
Redhill County Hospital, Earlswood Common, Redhill
Dorking County Hospital, Horsham Road, Dorking

Candidates must be S.R.N. and S.C.M. Salary grade £85 by £5 to £95 p.a.

STAFF NURSES (resident) at:—
St. Helier County Hospital, Carshalton.
Kingston County Hospital, Wolverton Avenue, Kingston-upon-Thames
Farnham County Hospital, Hale Road, Farnham
Epsom County Hospital, Dorking Road, Epsom
Redhill County Hospital, Earlswood Common, Redhill
Dorking County Hospital, Horsham Road, Dorking
Shabden Park Hospital, Chipstead

Candidates must be S.R.N. Salary grade £80 by £5 to £90 p.a.

STAFF NURSES (special trained only) at:—
Surrey County Sanatorium, Milford, (permanent appointment and holiday relief).

Candidates must be Fever or Tuberculosis trained. Salary grade £80 by £5 to £95 p.a. *including bonus.* Vacancies also exist for General trained staff nurses who wish to obtain the certificate of the T.B. Association.

STAFF NURSES FOR ISOLATION CUBICLE BLOCK at:—
St Helier County Hospital, Carshalton

Candidates must be S.R.N. and R.F.N Salary £80 by £5 to £90 p.a.

NURSES FOR ISOLATION CUBICLE BLOCK at:—
St. Helier County Hospital, Carshalton

Candidates must be R.F.N. Salary £70 by £5 to £85 p.a.

STAFF NURSES (non-resident) at:—
Cumberland House, Whitford Gardens, Mitcham
Epsom County Hospital, Dorking Road, Epsom

Candidates must be S.R.N. single or widows, and may later be required to become resident. Salary grade £146 by £5 to £156 p.a., plus bonus of 6s. per week and uniform.

FEMALE MENTAL STAFF NURSES (non-resident) at:—
Warren Road Hospital, Guildford.
Redhill County Hospital, Earlswood Common, Redhill
Epsom County Hospital, Dorking Road, Epsom.

Candidates must hold the R.M.P.A. Certificate or a Certificate in Mental Nursing approved by the General Nursing Council. Salary scale £136 by £5 to £151 p.a. plus war bonus 6s. per week. (Uniform provided.)

THEATRE STAFF NURSES at:—
St. Helier County Hospital, Carshalton

Candidates must be S.R.N. and preference will be given to those with Theatre experience. Salary grade £80 by £5 to £90 p.a.

STAFF NURSES FOR CHILDREN'S UNIT at:—
St. Helier County Hospital, Carshalton

Candidates must be S.R.N. or S.R.C.N. Salary £80 by £5 to £90 p.a.

MIDWIFERY PUPILS at:—
Kingston County Hospital, Wolverton Avenue, Kingston-on-Thames

The Midwifery School of this Hospital is recognised by the Central Midwives Board for the first six months' training. Salary £40 p.a. (no bonus), plus full residential emoluments valued at £65 p.a.

MALE MENTAL NURSES (temporary, non-resident) at:—
Warren Road Hospital, Guildford
Kingston County Hospital, Wolverton Avenue, Kingston-upon-Thames

Applicants should have R.M.P.A. Certificate. Salary £2 15s. 6d. by 2s. to £3 5s. 6d. p.w. plus war bonus 8s. p.w.

MALE NURSES (temporary, non-resident) at:
Warren Road Hospital, Guildford.

Salary £3 p.w. plus war bonus 8s. p.w.

Application forms and full particulars from the appropriate Matron. (1416)

ABERDEEN ROYAL INFIRMARY

Applications are invited for the position of **Sister Tutor,** Salary £130 to £160 according to qualifications and experience with £10 per annum for uniform allowance. The successful applicant will be required to participate in the Federated Superannuation Scheme.

Applications, giving particulars of training, experience and names for reference, should be submitted to the Matron. (1187)

ROYAL INFIRMARY, PRESTON
MATERNITY HOSPITAL
RECOGNIZED PART I TRAINING SCHOOL

Sister-in-Charge required. Candidates must be S.R.N. and S.C.M., also approved teacher by the C.M.B. Preference given to candidates holding the Midwifery teachers Certificate. Salary £180 rising by £10 per annum to £200. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

For form of application apply to the Superintendent. (1424)

MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Assistant Matron required for Middlesex County Home, late Jewish Hospital, High Road, Tottenham, N.17 (Home for 44 women chronics). Salary £120 p.a. with residential emoluments £84 10s. p.a. War bonus, unestablished staff. Increment considered after one year.

Apply to the Director of Public Assistance, "D," 10, Great George Street, S.W.1, stating age, qualifications, experience, etc. (1452)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF WEST HAM
SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

The Council invite applications for the appointment of **Assistant Tutor Sister,** at their Whipps Cross Hospital, Whipps Cross Road, Leytonstone, E.11, at the salary of £130 per annum, rising by annual increments of £7 10s. to £167 10s. per annum and by a further annual increment of £2 10s. to a maximum of £170 per annum, with residential allowances and the use of uniform.

Candidates must be State-registered Nurses and possess the Sister Tutor's Certificate. There are approximately 115 probationer nurses in training. The successful candidate will be required to pass a medical examination, and the appointment will be subject to the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and the statutory contributions will be deducted from the salary. Forms of application can be obtained from the Chief Officer, Social Services, or will be forwarded on the receipt of a stamped addressed envelope and must be returned not later than Saturday, the 29th August, 1942.

Social Services Department,
Union Road, Leytonstone, E.11
31st July, 1942. (1252)

LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL

Sister Tutor. Resident at Queen Mary's Hospital for Children, Carshalton. Salary £180—£10—£220.

Assistant Sister Tutors. Resident required at various hospitals. Salary £130—£7 10s.—£160 10s.—£2 10s.—£170. Candidates must hold one of the following certificates:—(a) King's College for Women Sister Tutor's certificate London University; (b) Diploma in Nursing London University; (c) Battersea Polytechnic Sister Tutor's certificate; (d) Diploma in Nursing, Leeds University; and, in addition, have had not less than one year's experience as a sister.

Application forms from the Acting Matron-in-Chief, County Hall, Westminster Bridge, S.E.1, returnable by 29th August, 1942. (1327)

ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, HARTSHILL, STOKE-ON-TRENT

Sister Tutor and Theatre Sister (Joint Post) required. Salary £140 per annum. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Staff Nurse with State Certificate required. Salary £90 per annum. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Applications to the Nursing Superintendent. (1402)

EVELINA HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN SOUTHWARK BRIDGE ROAD, S.E.1.

Applications are invited for the post of **Sister Tutor.** Candidates must be fully qualified and a salary commensurate with qualifications will be offered.

Applications together with copies of three testimonials to be sent to the Matron without delay. (1389)

CITY OF SALFORD
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
LADYWELL HOSPITAL
(INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL)

Sister Tutor. Applications are invited for this post (duties include some administrative work). Candidates must be State Registered in Fever and General Nursing. Salary:—(a) for persons holding one of the recognized Certificates or Diplomas applicable to the post—£165 to £175 per annum, rising by annual increments of £5; (b) for persons not holding such Certificates—£35 to £145 per annum, rising by annual increments of £5.

A cost-of-living bonus is also payable. The remuneration is subject to deductions for superannuation purposes. Residence, board, uniform and laundry provided. Form of application may be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health, 143, Regent Road, Salford 5, Lancs., to whom it must be returned, together with copies of not more than three recent testimonials, as soon as possible.

H. H. TOMSON,
Town Clerk.
(1383)

ROYAL ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, DYKE ROAD, BRIGHTON

Administrative Sister required. Salary £130 to £140 per annum, with uniform. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply to Matron with copies of two recent testimonials and Matron's name for reference.

10th August, 1942. (1357)

THE STAFFORDSHIRE GENERAL INFIRMARY STAFFORD

Housekeeping Sister required, S.R.N. Salary £120 per annum to commence, with full board and uniform. F.S.S. in force. Apply with full particulars to Matron. (1381)

For application forms and full particulars of the undermentioned appointments apply to **Matron "D" of hospital at which appointment is desired.** Canvassing direct or indirect disqualifies.

NIGHT SISTER,—S.C.M., and S.R.N.

West Middlesex County Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex.—Non-resident. Experience as ward and night sister and in busy theatre required.

Salary £130 by annual increments to £180 p.a.; for non-resident allowance, *see below.*

HOUSEKEEPERS.—Recognised domestic science or housekeeping certificate, obtained after one or two years' training, required, also experience in institutional housekeeping and handling domestic staff.

(1) **Central Middlesex County Hospital, Willesden, N.W.10.**—Resident.

Salary £130 by annual increments to £180 p.a.

(2) **Hillingdon County Hospital, near Uxbridge, Middlesex.**—Resident or non-resident. To assist in Nurses' Home.

Salary £120 by annual increments to £170 p.a. resident; for non-resident allowance, *see below.*

(3) **West Middlesex County Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex.**—Non-resident.

Salary £120 p.a.; for non-resident allowance *see below.* Unestablished staff, *see footnote.*

ASSISTANT NIGHT SISTER.—S.R.N. and S.C.M. or Pt. I of C.M.B. certificate, with experience as ward sister.

Redhill County Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

Salary £120 by annual increments to £160 p.a.; for non-resident allowance, *see below.*

MATERNITY WARD SISTERS.—S.C.M. and S.R.N., with good practical midwifery experience.

Redhill County Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

West Middlesex County Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

Salary £120 by annual increments to £160 p.a.; for non-resident allowance, *see below.*

MASSEUSE.—C.S.M.M.G., S.R.E., M.E. Certificates required.

Hillingdon County Hospital, near Uxbridge, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

Salary £210 p.a. with uniform and laundry thereof. Unestablished staff, *see footnote.*

WARD SISTERS,—S.R.N.

Redhill County Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex.—Non-resident. For children's ward, preferably also S.R.N. (Children's Register), with experience as ward sister in Children's hospital.

West Middlesex County Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

For chronic wards—S.C.M., with experience in ward management and training student nurses required.

Salary, *including cost of living bonus:* £115 by annual increments to £159 16s. p.a.; for non-resident allowance, *see below.*

STAFF NURSE MIDWIVES.—S.C.M. and S.R.N.

Redhill County Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

West Middlesex County Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

Salary £95 by £5 to £110 p.a.; for non-resident allowance, *see below.*

STAFF NURSES.—S.R.N.

(1) **THEATRE STAFF NURSES.**

Central Middlesex County Hospital, Willesden, N.W.10.—Resident or non-resident.

Chase Farm Hospital, Enfield, Middlesex.—Non-resident. Unestablished staff, *see footnote.*

Redhill County Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

(2) **GENERAL STAFF NURSES.**

Central Middlesex County Hospital, Willesden, N.W.10.—Resident or non-resident; also required for maternity work.

Chase Farm Hospital, Enfield, Middlesex.—Non-resident. Unestablished staff, *see footnote.*

Hillingdon County Hospital, near Uxbridge, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

Redhill County Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

West Middlesex County Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

Salary for (1) and (2) *including cost of living bonus*: £95 by annual increments to £109 16s. p.a. resident; for non-resident allowance, *see below.* Additional £5 p.a. paid for S.C.M. or Part I of C.M.B. certificate.

ASSISTANT NURSES.—Some hospital nursing experience.

Central Middlesex County Hospital, Willesden, N.W.10.—Non-resident. One or more years' training required. Additional £5 p.a. paid for Tb. Association certificate if employed on Tb. work.

Chase Farm Hospital, Enfield, Middlesex.—Non-resident. Unestablished staff, *see footnote*

Redhill County Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

West Middlesex County Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex.—Non-resident.

Edgbury Convalescent Home, Woburn Sands, near Bletchley, Bucks.—Non-resident.

Salary: with one or more years' training in recognised training school, £2 5s. by 2s. 6d. to £2 10s. p.wk.; without training salary begins at £2 2s. 6d. p.wk. Indoor uniform, laundry thereof and meals on duty.

STUDENT NURSES.—Candidates must be over 17 years, single girls or widows of sound health.

TRAINING IN GENERAL NURSING at:—

Central Middlesex County Hospital, Willesden, N.W.10.

Hillingdon County Hospital, near Uxbridge, Middlesex.

Redhill County Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex.

West Middlesex County Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex.—Vacancies for November 1942 and February 1943.

Four years' course of training (including three months preliminary trial period). Candidates are prepared for preliminary and final State Examinations in general nursing. Commencing salary £40 p.a., rising by annual increments of £5, including cost of living bonus. Nurses whose names are already on supplementary part of State Register are accepted for two years' course in general nursing in preparation for final State Examination, commencing at £50 p.a.

Resident and unestablished appointments. Superannuation contributions payable by candidates over 18 years. After passing final State Examination suitable candidates accepted for midwifery training.

MALE ORDERLY FOR V.D. CLINIC.

Hillingdon County Hospital, near Uxbridge, Middlesex.—Non-resident. Must be over years or ineligible for military service. V.D. experience required. Salary, if S.R.N., holding R.A.M.C. certificate as fully trained nurse, £3 10s. by 2s. 6d. to £4 per week. Without such certificate, salary £2 17s. 6d. by 2s. 6d. to £3 10s. per week.

MALE NURSE (General).

West Middlesex County Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex.—Non-resident. Must be over years or ineligible for military service, and hold one of the following qualifications:—S.R.N. (general and mental); R.M.P.A. certificate; R.A.M.C. certificate as fully trained nurse. Salary: £3 10s. per week. Unestablished staff (*see footnote*).

Female Nurses (Resident) required at the Middlesex Colony, Harper Lane, Shenley, near St. Albans, Herts., an Institution certified for the reception of mental defectives. Salary 21s. 3d. rising to 23s. 9d. for probationers; 24s. 3d. rising to 29s. 3d. for nurses with Preliminary Certificate of the Royal Medico-Psychological Association; 27s. 3d. rising to 38s. for nurses with final certificate of the Royal Medico-Psychological Association. Emoluments valued at £63 6s. and consist of board, lodging, laundry and uniform. Application forms obtainable from the Medical Superintendent "D" of the Colony.

NOTE.—*Additional cost of living bonus* (unless otherwise stated).

Non-resident allowances, bonus additional—Sisters and senior staff, £80 p.a.; below rank of sister, £70 p.a.; indoor uniform, laundry thereof and meals on duty. All appointments are subject to medical examination and, unless otherwise stated, are established and pensionable. Salary scales quoted apply to established employees.

Unestablished staff (except Student Nurses) are appointed at minimum salaries, with possibility of increase after one year's satisfactory service. C. W. RADCLIFFE,

Clerk of the County Council. (1288)

MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL

CAMERON HOSPITAL, WEST HARTLEPOOL

Housekeeping Sister required. Salary commencing £120 per annum. Uniform provided. F.S.S. in force.

Apply, stating age, with full particulars to the Matron. (1350)

THE ROYAL HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON
(INCORPORATED UNDER ROYAL CHARTER)
(310 BEDS)

Home Sister required. State-registered, with experience in Housekeeping. Salary £120 per annum; indoor uniform provided. The Hospital is affiliated to the Federated Superannuation Scheme.

Apply with full particulars and copies of three recent testimonials to the Matron. (1283)

STAMFORD, RUTLAND AND GENERAL INFIRMARY, STAMFORD, LINCS.
(79 BEDS, E.M.S.121)

Sister Tutor and **Home Sister** required (combined post) Sister Tutor's certificate, essential. Salary £150—£170 p.a., uniform material. F.S. Pension Scheme. Apply Matron. (178)

HIGH WYCOMBE AND DISTRICT WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
(AFFILIATED TRAINING SCHOOL)

Sister Tutor-Home Sister (combined post) required.

Candidates must be able to teach according to the syllabus of the General Nursing Council. Salary £150. £6 uniform allowance. F.S.S. Apply with full particulars to the Matron. (92)

BRISTOL HOMOEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, BRISTOL, 6.
F.S.S.N.H.O. in Force.

Sister Tutor and **Home Sister** (Deputy Matron) required (normally 78 beds). Salary according to experience, uniform provided. Applications to be forwarded, together with copies of recent estimonials, or references, giving particulars of age, experience and when able to commence duties, to the Matron, Bristol, 6 (1144)

COLONIAL NURSING SERVICE

Applications are invited for the post of **Sister Tutor and Home Sister** at the Colonial Hospital, Trinidad. Candidates should be S.R. Nurses between 30 and 40 years; teaching, housekeeping and midwifery qualifications desirable. Salary 1,320 dollars a year, with quarters or 1,572 dollars without quarters. Including war bonus, salary approximately £355 a year without quarters. Uniform provided. Appointment on probation for three years in first instance. Pensionable prospects. There is a vacancy also in similar terms for a **Sister** with administrative experience in a Venereal Diseases Clinic, to take charge of a Clinic at the Colonial Hospital, Trinidad.

Apply, for further particulars, giving age, training and experience to the Overseas Nursing Association, Imperial Institute, London, S.W.7. (1430)

WEYMOUTH AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, WEYMOUTH, DORSET
(136 E.M.S. BEDS)

Sister Tutor and **Home Sister** required. Previous teaching experience essential.

Salary commencing at £138 p.a. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply, stating age, experience and qualifications, with two recent testimonials, and Matron's name for reference to the Matron. (1282)

THE CORPORATION HOSPITAL, SCARTHO, GRIMSBY.
TRAINING SCHOOL FOR FEVERS AND TUBERCULOSIS.
(BEDS 220)

Night Sister required, must be S.R.N. and Fever Certificate, C.S.M. an advantage. Salary £145 to £165 per annum. £5 extra if holding C.S.M. Certificate. Age from 30 years to 40 years. Uniform and Holiday allowance given. Superannuation Scheme in force.

Further particulars can be had on application to the Matron. (1211)

THE GLOUCESTERSHIRE ROYAL INFIRMARY AND EYE INSTITUTION, GLOUCESTER

Night Sister, S.R.N., S.C.M., required early September. Salary £105 a year to begin. Uniform and usual emoluments. F.S.S. in force.

Applications, giving full particulars of training and experience should be sent before 17th August to Matron. (1149)

FENWICK COTTAGE HOSPITAL, LYNDHURST, HAMPSHIRE
(24 BEDS)

Night Sister required, preferably S.C.M. Salary £120 p.a. Uniform allowance £5 p.a. F.S.S. in force.

Apply with references and Matron's name to Matron. (933)

BLACKBURN AND EAST LANCASHIRE ROYAL INFIRMARY
(248 BEDS)

Junior Night Sister, S.R.N., with Theatre experience required. Preferably S.C.M. Salary £105—£125. Uniform provided. F.S.S. in force.

Apply, stating age and experience, with Matron's name for reference, to the Matron, Royal Infirmary, Blackburn. (587)

CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, DERBY
TRAINING SCHOOL. 90 BEDS

Wanted, **Night Sister.** Ward Sister's experience essential. F.S.S. in force. Salary £105 to £120 according to experience.

Apply, giving full particulars, to Matron. (142)

MONKWEARMOUTH AND SOUTHWICK HOSPITAL, SUNDERLAND

Night Sister required. S.R.N., S.C.M. Commencing salary £110 p.a. and uniform material. 96 hour fortnight. F.S.S. Apply with full particulars to Matron. (251)

CITY OF BRADFORD
THE MUNICIPAL GENERAL (ST. LUKE'S) HOSPITAL (1,089 BEDS)

Night Sisters. Salary £110—£5—£145 plus bonus £13 p.a., plus uniform and residential emoluments. Candidates must be State registered Nurses holding the C.M.B. certificate and good disciplinarians. One required for Maternity Unit, willing to train Pupil Midwives and one for general section of the hospital, willing to train Probationer Nurses

Ward Sisters. Salary £90 by £5 to £130, plus bonus £13 p.a., plus uniform and residential emoluments. Candidates must be State-registered nurses holding the C.M.B. certificate, good disciplinarians and willing to train Probationer Nurses, for general wards of the Hospital.

Staff Nurses. Salary £70 by £5 to £90, plus bonus £13 p.a., plus uniform and residential emoluments. Candidates must be State-registered Nurses, required for general wards.

Probationer Nurses. Salary £30 first year, £32 10s. second year, £37 third year, £45 fourth year, plus bonus of £6 10s. if under 21 years of age, £13 if over 21 years of age, plus uniform and residential emoluments. Applicants should be 18 years of age and well educated. There is an up-to-date Nurses' Home, with lecture and demonstration room, modern teaching equipment, and every facility for recreation.

Pupil Midwives. Salary £45 p.a., plus bonus £13 p.a., plus uniform and residential emoluments. There are vacancies for State-registered nurses for six months course of training for Part I of the Central Midwives Board Examination.

Applications giving full particulars should be sent to Matron, St. Luke's Hospital, Bradford, Yorks. (955)

HORTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, BANBURY, OXFORDSHIRE

Night Sister wanted. F.S.S. in force. Training School for Nurses. Commencing salary £110 per annum.

Applications to Matron. (172)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF BRIGHTON
BRIGHTON MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL
JUNIOR NIGHT SISTER

Applications are invited for the above position.

Candidates must be State Registered Nurses and State Certified Midwives. They must have held posts as Ward Sisters and have had Theatre experience.

Salary at the rate of £105 per annum, rising by £5 annually to £120 per annum, commencing salary according to experience, together with residential allowances and use of indoor uniform.

Forms of application may be obtained from the Matron, to whom they should be returned, duly completed, not later than Wednesday, 26th August, 1942.

S. J. FIRTH,
Medical Superintendent.

Brighton Municipal Hospital,
Brighton, 7.
August, 1942. (1304)

SOLIHULL AND MERIDEN JOINT ISOLATION HOSPITAL COMMITTEE

Applications are invited from State-registered nurses, general and fever trained, for the undermentioned appointment at the Connaught Hospital at Catherine-de-Barnes, near Solihull, Warwickshire:—

Night Sister. Salary £100—£130 by annual increments of £10 with a cash bonus in addition of £6 10s. per annum. Emoluments include board, apartments, laundry, and an allowance of £6 per annum for uniform. Four weeks' leave is allowed each year and a holiday allowance of £1 per week is paid. Superannuated post. Further particulars can be obtained, if required, from the Matron direct.

Applications, in candidates' own handwriting, stating age, marital condition, experience and qualifications, together with copies of not more than three testimonials, to reach the undersigned at the address below not later than Saturday, 29th August next. S. F. WOODHAMS.

Old Bank House, Clerk of the Committee.
Church Hill, Coleshill, near Birmingham.
4th August, 1942. (1[illegible])

ROMSEY & DISTRICT HOSPITAL, HAMPSHIRE
(29 BEDS)

Night Sister required, S.R.N., S.C.M. £110. Uniform provided. F.S.S.N. in force. Apply with names for reference and full particulars, to matron. (1[illegible])

WINSLEY SANATORIUM, NEAR BATH
(135 BEDS)

Vacancies exist for the following appointments:

Night Sister (S.R.N.). Commencing salary [illegible] p.a.

Staff Nurse (S.R.N.). Commencing salary [illegible] p.a.

Emoluments include Residence with meals and laundry, with extra £5 per annum for Certificate and £2 10s. per annum. Uniform allowance. F.S.S. in force. Apply with particulars to Matron. (1[illegible])

DORSET COUNTY HOSPITAL, DORCHESTER (109 BEDS)

Senior Night Sister, S.R.N., S.C.M. required. Salary according to experience, commencing not less than £105 per annum. Uniform provided and Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply with full particulars to Matron. (1[illegible])

ROYAL CORNWALL INFIRMARY, TRURO
(245 BEDS)

Night Superintendent, S.R.N., S.C.M. required. Salary £130—£150. F.S.S. in force. Apply with full particulars to the Matron. (1[illegible])

DEVIZES AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, WILTSHIRE (100 BEDS)

Night Sister required. Salary £[illegible] commence. F.S.S. in force. Apply with two recent testimonials to Matron. (1[illegible])

LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

VACANCIES FOR NURSING STAFF

[A]ppointments are subject to the Lancashire [Cou]nty Council Conditions of Service and are [pen]sionable. Medical examination necessary. [Ap]plicants for posts of Staff Nurse and higher [gra]des must be State Registered. Applicants for [Mid]wifery Posts must be State Certified Midwives [and] also State Registered Nurses. Emoluments [(bo]ard residence and uniform, etc.) are additional [to] the annual salaries stated. Any previous [ser]vice in the particular grade, either at a Voluntary [Hos]pital or a Local Authority Hospital will rank [for] service on the salary scale. The salaries [sta]ted are subject to a cost of living bonus.

[LA]KE HOSPITAL, ASHTON-UNDER-LYNE

[P]robationer Nurses. Aged 18 years and over. [Sala]ry £40 first year, £42 10s. second year, £45 [thir]d year, £50 fourth year.

[HA]RNTON HOUSE, ASHTON-UNDER-LYNE ANNEXE WARD

[St]aff Nurse. Salary £100 by £5 to £120 per [ann]um.

[As]sistant Nurses. Salary £70 per annum.

[F]ull particulars and forms of application from [the] Area Public Assistance Officer, Public Assist[anc]e offices, St. Michael's Square, Ashton-under-[Lyn]e.

[MO]ORLANDS INFIRMARY, RAWTENSTALL

[M]idwifery Sister. With Theatre experience. [Sala]ry £125 by £5 to £150 per annum.

[W]ard Sister. Salary £125 by £5 to £150 per [ann]um.

[St]aff Midwife. Salary £100 by £5 to £120 per [ann]um.

[St]aff Nurse. Salary £100 by £5 to £120 per [ann]um.

[P]robationer Nurses. Aged 18 years and over. [Sala]ry £40 first year, £42 10s. second year, £45 [thir]d year, £50 fourth year.

[F]ull particulars and forms of application from [the] Area Public Assistance Officer, Public Assist[anc]e Offices, Moorlands, Rawtenstall.

JERICHO HOSPITAL, BURY

[M]idwifery Night Sister. Salary £125 by £5 to [£15]0 per annum.

[M]idwifery Sister. Salary £125 by £5 to £150 [per] annum.

[St]aff Nurses. Salary £100 by £5 to £120 per [ann]um.

[P]robationer Nurses. Aged 18 years and over. [Sala]ry £40 first year, £42 10s. second year, £45 [thir]d year, £50 fourth year.

[F]ull particulars and forms of application from [the] Area Public Assistance Officer, Public [As]sistance Offices, Parson's Lane, Bury.

[.] CHORLEY INSTITUTION, CHORLEY

[W]ard Sister. Salary £125 by £5 to £150 per [ann]um.

[As]sistant Nurses. Salary £70 per annum.

[F]ull particulars and forms of application from [the] Area Public Assistance Officer, 8, Spring [Ba]nk, Preston.

ORMSKIRK COUNTY HOSPITAL

[St]aff Midwives. For Maternity Department [an]d antenatal Clinic. Salary £100 by £5 to £120 [per] annum.

[F]ull particulars and forms of application from [the] Area Public Assistance Officer, Public Assist[anc]e Offices, 74, Wigan Road, Ormskirk.

[UL]VERSTON INSTITUTION, ULVERSTON

[As]sistant Nurse. Salary £70 per annum.

[F]ull particulars and forms of application from [the] Area Public Assistance Officer, Town Hall, [Ul]verston.

[PA]RKSIDE INSTITUTION, 2 QUERNMORE ROAD, LANCASTER

[As]sistant Nurses. Salary £70 per annum.

[M]idwifery Sister. Salary £125 by £5 to £150 [per] annum.

[C]andidates should write to the Area Public [As]sistance Officer, Public Assistance Offices, [.] Dalton Square, Lancaster, giving name, age, [pre]sent position and particulars of previous [ap]pointments with dates, enclosing copies of three [rec]ent testimonials.

[FY]LDE INSTITUTION, WESHAM, KIRKHAM, NR. BLACKPOOL

[As]sistant Nurses. Salary £70 per annum.

[F]ull particulars and forms of application from [the] Matron, Fylde Institution Infirmary, Wesham, [Kir]kham, Nr. Blackpool.

GEORGE ETHERTON,
Clerk of the County Council.

[Co]unty Offices, Preston.
[.] August, 1942. (1302)

[W]EST NORFOLK AND KING'S LYNN GENERAL HOSPITAL, KING'S LYNN

[J]unior Night Sister, S.R.N., C.M.B. required. [Co]mmencing salary £100 per annum. F.S.S. [in] force. Application together with two names [or] testimonials to Matron. (1325)

[B]IRMINGHAM AND MIDLAND HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, SPARKHILL, BIRMINGHAM, 1

[N]ight Sister required for Hospital Annexe [in] the country Near Lichfield, must be fully [tra]ined and State-registered. Salary £110, Uniform [pro]vided, Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply immediately with full particulars—giving [Ma]tron's name for reference to Matron. (1431)

CHILDREN'S ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, DALE ROAD, MARPLE, CHESHIRE

(62 BEDS)

[N]ight Sister S.R.N. required. Commencing [sala]ry £110 p.a. Uniform provided. F.S.S. in [for]ce. Apply Matron. (1401)

London County Council

SISTERS *ARE REQUIRED FOR THE COUNCIL'S*

(1) General Hospitals;
(2) Sick Children's Hospitals;
(3) Infectious Diseases Hospitals;
(4) Tuberculosis Hospitals.

Applicants must be State-registered General-trained Nurses, and it is an advantage to hold in addition one of the following certificates :—

(i) Certificate of the Central Midwives Board;
(ii) State Certificate for Sick Children's Nursing;
(iii) State Certificate for Fever Nursing;
(iv) Tuberculosis Nurses' Association Certificate.

Successful candidates will be required to undertake the practical and clinical teaching of the student nurses in the wards, be prepared to work in London or the country, and if necessary, to do night duty.

Salary £115—£7 10s.—£152 10s.—£7 6s.—£159 16s., plus full residential emoluments.

Apply to the Acting Matron-in-Chief, County Hall, Westminster Bridge, London, S.E.1. (240/22)

HEREFORD COUNTY AND CITY MENTAL HOSPITAL, BURGHILL, HEREFORD

Wanted, **Night Superintendent.** Salary £140 per annum, plus war bonus of £30, plus emoluments (Board, Lodging, Laundry and Uniform). Age not over 46. Applicants must be State Registered General Trained Nurses with a certificate in Mental Nursing. The appointment is subject to the provisions of the Asylum.s Officers' Superannuation Act, 1909. Applications, with copies of not more than three recent testimonials to be sent to the Medical Superintendent, County and City Mental Hospital, Burghill, Hereford. (1295)

LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Night Sister required for the Wrightington Non-Pulmonary Hospital, Appley Bridge (226 beds, adults and children).

In addition there is an E.M.S. Hospital and at present three of the wards are being used for non-pulmonary and pulmonary patients. Salary £160 per annum, increasing annually by £5 to £180 per annum; £8 per annum uniform allowance; board, lodging and laundry (valued for Superannuation purposes at £82 per annum) plus bonus of £10 per annum. Candidates must be general trained and under 40 years of age. The selected candidate will be required to pass a medical examination and to contribute to the Superannuation Fund.

Applications with copies of three testimonials to be forwarded to the Matron, Wrightington Hospital, Appley Bridge, Wigan.

G. LISSANT COX,
Central Tuberculosis Officer.

County Offices,
Preston. (1384)

KELLING SANATORIUM, HOLT-NORFOLK

(180 BEDS)

Night Sister required, commencing salary £100, plus £12 war bonus, also **Ward Sisters,** £95 plus £12 war bonus. S.R.N. Federated Superannuation in force.

Probationers also wanted: £35—£40, with £12 war bonus.

Apply :—The Matron. (1374)

WESTWOOD EMERGENCY HOSPITAL BRADFORD

(400 BEDS)

Junior Night Sister required. S.R.N. Salary £110 p.a. rising £5 p.a. to £145 plus 5 per cent war bonus. Full residential emoluments. Use of uniform. Appointment comes within the Local Government Superannuation Act. Apply, giving full particulars and two names for reference, to Matron. (1437)

WARLINGHAM PARK HOSPITAL, WARLINGHAM, SURREY

Female Head Night Sister wanted. Age not to exceed 35. Candidate must be general and mental hospital traineed. Salary commencing £150 p.a. rising by annual increments of £10 to £180 p.a., plus £13 p.a. war bonus, and emoluments valued at £71 3s. (furnished apartments, board, laundry and uniform). Applications with copies of two recent testimonials to be sent to the Medical Superintendent. (1460)

LEICESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

The Council invite applications for the following appointments, viz.—

Sisters (S.R.N. and S.C.M.). Annual salary £115, plus war bonus, at Bosworth Park Infirmary (E.M.S. Hospital), Market Harborough and Mountsorrel Institutions.

Night Sister (S.R.N. and S.C.M.). Annual salary £125, plus war bonus, at Market Harborough Institution.

Assistant Nurses. At Bosworth Park Infirmary (E.M.S. Hospital), Loughborough, Lutterworth, Market Bosworth, Market Harborough, Mountsorrel, and Narborough Institutions.

Annual salaries: Inexperienced, £50 plus war bonus; with six months' experience, £60 plus war bonus; with 12 months' experience, £65 plus war bonus; with two years' experience, £70 plus war bonus.

The appointments will be with residential allowances and uniform, and will be subject to the Sick Pay Rules and Regulations of the Council, and are designated posts for the purposes of the Superannuation Act.

Applications in candidate's own handwriting, stating age, marital condition, experience, qualifications (if any) etc., together with copies of three recent testimonials should be forwarded to the Director of Public Assistance, Leicestershire County Council, 6, St. Martin's, Leicester, forthwith. (1261)

NEWARK GENERAL HOSPITAL

Applications are invited for the following posts which will become vacant on September 1st.

Children's Ward and Casualty Department Sister. Salary £100 plus £5 to maximum. £120 additional £5 per annum for S.C.M.

Night Sister required for separate Maternity wing of 11 beds. S.C.M. essential. Salary £105 rising to maximum of £125.

Casualty Staff Nurse, S.R.N. Salary £90 per annum plus £5 if S.C.M. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply, staring age, and full particulars of training, with copies of three recent testimonials, or names for reference to Matron. (1417)

KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, KEIGHLEY

Night Sister required immediately with Ward Sisters' experience (S.R.N., S.C.M.). Salary £115 rising £5 to £125. F.S.S. in force. Apply with full particulars to the Matron. (1453)

SAMARITAN HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, MARYLEBONE ROAD, LONDON, N.W.1

Assistant Night Sister required. State-registered nurse. Salary £100. Uniform and laundry provided. Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply to Matron. (1463)

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY

Theatre Sister required. Salary £110 per annum, rising to £125 by £10 annual increments, with uniform. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply with full particulars to the Matron. (1467)

THORPE COOMBE MATERNITY HOSPITAL WALTHAMSTOW, LONDON, E.17

Consequent upon increased bookings the following staff are required. **One Ward Sister** and **One Junior Night Sister,** both to be S.R.N. and S.C.M. and to have had over one year's experience in midwifery. Salary £90 to £120 per annum according to experience plus war bonus of £13 per annum.

One Staff Midwife, S.R.N. and S.C.M. Salary £90—£5—£110 per annum, plus bonus of £13 per annum.

There are vacancies for pupil midwives, part one and part two.

Apply to Matron. (1435)

THE HOSPITAL, PORT SUNLIGHT, CHESHIRE

(26 BEDS)

Second Theatre Sister required. General trained. State-registered. Candidates should be experienced in all branches of theatre work. Salary £110 with £8 uniform allowance per annum.

Federated Superannuation Scheme optional. Apply, stating age and experience with Matron's name for reference to Matron. (767)

SCARBOROUGH HOSPITAL, YORKSHIRE

Theatre Sister required. Salary ranging from £115—£135 according to experience. Uniform provided.

Theatre Staff Nurse also required. Salary £90—£100. Uniform provided.

Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Applications giving full particulars of qualifications and experience together with Matron's name for reference should be addressed to the Matron. (1164)

ASHFORD HOSPITAL KENT

(90 BEDS PLUS 40 E.M.S.)

Theatre Sister required. S.R.N. and S.C.M. Theatre experience essential. Salary £125 per annum. Uniform provided. Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply Matron, stating experience and giving two names for reference. (1336)

SAINT MARY'S HOSPITALS, WHITWORTH PARK, MANCHESTER, 13

Junior Theatre Sister required. Salary £105 per annum. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply giving Matron's name for reference to Matron. (1324)

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM

DUDLEY ROAD GENERAL HOSPITAL

Applications are invited for appointment as **Sisters.** Candidates must be nurses registered on the General register and preferably with Part 1 C.M.B. training. Salary £105 p.a. plus war bonus. Residential emoluments and uniform on loan.

Junior Theatre Sisters and Staff Nurses.

Excellent experience in theatre work. Residential emoluments and uniform on loan. Salary, Sisters £105 p.a. Staff Nurses, £90 p.a. plus war bonus.

Applications to Matron-in-Chief, Dudley Road Hospital, Birmingham 18. (1300)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF PRESTON

SHAROE GREEN HOSPITAL
CLASS 1A HOSPITAL E.M.S. (250 BEDS)

Applications for the post of **Ward Sister** for acute medical and surgical female wards, are invited from fully qualified and State-registered nurses.

Salary £105—£115 with full board, laundry and uniform.

The selected candidate must pass a medical examination.

Application forms and further details of appointment may be obtained from the Medical Superintendent, Sharoe Green Hospital, Fulwood, Preston, to whom they should be returned by Saturday, 22nd August, 1942. (1129)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF BLACKBURN

Applications are invited from S.R.N. and S.C.M. for the posts of **Junior Sisters** for the Maternity Ward at Queen's Park Hospital, Blackburn.

Salary £90 per annum increasing to £95 by one annual increment, plus cost of living increase, residential emoluments and uniform.

Applications, stating age and qualifications, accompanied by copies of two recent testimonials to be sent to the Public Assistance Officer, Cardwell Place, Blackburn.

CHAS. S. ROBINSON, Town Clerk. (1170)

ROYAL CORNWALL INFIRMARY AUXILIARY HOSPITAL, TREGONY, TRURO

(50 Beds, Country District)

Ward Sister, S.R.N. required. Salary £120—£135. F.S.S. in force.

Apply to Matron, Royal Cornwall Infirmary, Truro. (1150)

NORTHAMPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL

(410 BEDS)

Departmental Sister required for Ear, Nose and Throat Ward, Theatre and Out-Patient Department. Previous ward administration and Theatre experience essential. Salary £115 per annum with usual residential emoluments and F.S.S. in force.

Apply Matron with names for reference. (1165)

ISOLATION HOSPITAL, FARNHAM, SURREY
(48 BEDS)

Sister required. Must be capable of taking charge in Matron's absence. Salary £120 rising to £150 plus £5 in lieu of outdoor uniform and £4 holiday allowance. Indoor uniform provided. Apply to the Matron. (1190)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF WIGAN
WHALLEY INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL, WIGAN

Applications are invited for the post of **Ward Sister** at the above-named hospital. Applicants must be State-registered, General and Fever. Salary, £110-£120, plus 10 per cent. cost-of-living bonus, with uniform and holiday allowance. Three recent testimonials are required. Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience to be sent to Dr. H. Whitehead, M.O.H., Library Street, Wigan. (934)

MILLER GENERAL HOSPITAL, GREENWICH HIGH ROAD, LONDON, S.E.10

Ward Sister required for Men's Surgical Ward. Must have had good experience. Salary from £110 per annum. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply to Matron giving full particulars and matrons' names for reference. (984)

THE LUTON & DUNSTABLE HOSPITAL, LUTON, BEDS. (214 BEDS)
FEDERATED SUPERANNUATION SCHEME IN FORCE

Casualty and Out-Patient Sister required. S.R.N. essential and previous experience in a similar department desirable. Preference will be given to a candidate having had Ward Sister's experience. Commencing salary £110 per annum with uniform and usual emoluments.

Junior Night Sister required. S.R.N. and S.C.M., Ward Sister's experience essential. Salary £95—£100 per annum together with uniform and usual emoluments.

Staff Nurses, S.R.N., required for wards and departments, also for holiday duty. Minimum salary £90 per annum with uniform and usual emoluments.

Apply in each case with full particulars to the Matron. (1174)

CITY OF NOTTINGHAM

The City Hospital, Nottingham, has immediate vacancies as under:—

Staff Nurse Midwives'.—State registered nurses and qualified midwives with recent midwifery experience, for work in the Maternity Department. Salary £85 to £95 according to experience.

Theatre Staff Nurse.—State registered nurse with recent theatre experience. Good opening for recently qualified nurse wishing to specialise in theatre work. Salary £85 to £95 according to experience.

Ward Sister.—Well recommended State-registered nurse with at least two years experience as Staff nurse or junior sister. Salary £100 rising by £5 to £125. All posts advertised above carry full residential emoluments, the use if uniform, a war bonus additional to the advertised salary, and compulsory participation in the Local Government Superannuation Scheme 1936.

Midwifery Pupils.—There are still some vacancies for the schools commencing November 1st, 1942 and May 1st, 1943. Salary during training and good working and living conditions.

Application forms and details of all positions advertised above can be obtained by sending a letter enclosing stamped addressed foolscap envelope to The Matron, City Hospital, Nottingham (1210)

POPLAR HOSPITAL, LONDON, E.14.

Sister required with experience. Duties to alternate between Poplar and country. £100—£130. Indoor uniform. Usual emoluments. F.S.S. in force. Apply, Matron, with Matrons' names for reference. (1209)

CHIPPENHAM AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, CHIPPENHAM, WILTS (40 BEDS)

Sister, S.R.N., required for Out-patients and X-ray Department (portable apparatus). Experience essential. Salary £110 plus £5 uniform. F.S.S. in force. Apply with particulars to Matron. (1179)

SOUTH KESTEVEN RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL ISOLATION HOSPITAL BOURNE, LINCS.
BEDS—50 PLUS 18 EMERGENCY

Ward Sister required, General and Fever trained, Salary £110 per annum. For further particulars apply to the Matron. (1206)

STANDON HALL ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, Near ECCLESHALL, STAFFORD

General Trained **Sister** with Orthopaedic experience required for Plaster Department, early September. Salary £120—£10—£140 per annum plus war bonus. Local Government Superannuation. County Hospital of 120 Beds. Apply Matron. (1255)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF SOUTHAMPTON
BOROUGH GENERAL HOSPITAL

Ward Sisters required. Salary £120 per annum, plus board, residence and uniform.

Application form may be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health, Civic Centre, Southampton. (1297)

COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE WEST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Applications are invited for the following appointments:—

STAINCLIFFE COUNTY HOSPITAL HEALDS ROAD, DEWSBURY.
(Approved Training School.)

***Ward Sister.** For Children's Ward. Salary £125—£5—£150 per annum, plus usual residential emoluments. Must be S.R.N. & S.C.M.

***Second Sister-in-Charge** Maternity Ward. Salary £125—£5—£150 per annum, plus usual residential emoluments. Must be S.R.N. and S.C.M.

COUNTY HOSPITAL, OTLEY.

***Ward Sister.** Salary £125—£5—£150 per annum plus uniform and usual residential emoluments. Must be S.R.N. and S.C.M.

Senior Assistant Nurses. Salary £80—£5—£90 per annum and usual residential emoluments.

MIDDLETON - IN - WHARFEDALE SANATORIUM, Near ILKLEY.

Senior Assistant Nurses. Salary £80—£5—£90 per annum, plus £5 if in possession of Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Usual residential emoluments.

Junior Assistant Nurses. Salary £70—£5—£80 per annum, and usual residential emoluments

Holiday Relief.—Staff Nurse. Salary £105—£5—£120 per annum, plus usual residential emoluments. Must be S.R.N.

Senior Assistant Nurse. Salary £80—£5—£90 per annum, plus £5 if in possession of Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

Or **Junior Assistant Nurse.** Salary £70—£5—£80 per annum plus usual residential emoluments. Must have had two years' training.

Probationer Nurses. Salary £40—£5—£50 per annum plus usual residential emoluments.

SCOTTON BANKS SANATORIUM, NR. KNARESBOROUGH

Probationer Nurses. Salary £40—£5—£50 per annum, plus usual residential emoluments.

Senior Assistant Nurses. Must have Orthopaedic experience. Salary £80—£5—£90 per annum and usual residential emoluments.

CROOKHILL HALL RECEIVING HOME, CONISBOROUGH.

Junior Assistant Nurse. Salary £70—£5—£80 per annum plus usual residential emoluments.

The above posts are designated under the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937.

Forms of application can be obtained from the Matron of each hospital but where marked * forms should be obtained from the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Wakefield.

CHARLES McGRATH,
County Hall, Wakefield.
31st July, 1942. (1353)

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM
ROMSLEY HILL SANATORIUM, HALESOWEN (120 BEDS)

Sister required, S.R.N., with Sanatorium experience preferred, but not essential. Salary £110—£5—£150 p.a. plus war bonus and travelling allowance of 1s. 6d. per week. Week-end monthly. Apply Matron (54)

CITY OF LEICESTER
MUNICIPAL MATERNITY HOME, WESTCOTES DRIVE, LEICESTER

Ward Sister required. General trained and S.C.M.

Salary £110 to £160 per annum by £5 per annum, subject to satisfactory service.

The post is designated under the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937.

Apply, giving full particulars and names for reference, to Matron.

WILFRID CARR,
Health Department, Secretary.
Grey Friars, Leicester.
August, 1942. (1361)

THE KING EDWARD VII WELSH NATIONAL MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

Applications are invited from Nurses (S.R.) for the post of **Ward Sister** at the Machynlleth Hospital, Machynlleth, Montgomeryshire (32 beds for male and female cases of pulmonary tuberculosis). The duties include a certain amount of radiography work.

Salary £115 by £5 to £130 per annum, plus uniform and maintenance; an additional £5 per annum will be paid if in possession of the T.A. Certificate; contributory superannuation scheme.

Apply giving full particulars to the Matron. (1303)

ROCHDALE INFIRMARY

Required **Sister-in-Charge** O.P. Departments (Orthopaedic Certificated preferred). Salary £110 per annum with full residence. F.S.S. in operation. Apply with full particulars, to Matron, Rochdale Infirmary. (1332)

ROCHDALE INFIRMARY

Applications are invited for **Junior Ward Sister.**

Salary £95 per annum with full board, etc. Federated Superannuation Scheme in operation.

Apply with full particulars to Matron, Rochdale Infirmary. (1333)

MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Resident Sister, S.R.N. required. Salary £105 p.a. with board, lodging, laundry and uniform. £71 10s. p.a. war bonus. Increment considered after 1 year. Unestablished staff. Apply Matron "D" Grims Dyke, Harrow Weald, Middlesex, (Home for aged and infirm Women). (1387)

CORPORATION OF ABERDEEN
WOODEND HOSPITAL
APPOINTMENT OF SISTER

Sister required for Woodend General Hospital. Necessary qualifications, salary and conditions of service obtainable on application to the Matron. (1376)

GENERAL HOSPITAL, NUNEATON

Sister, S.R.N., S.C.M. wanted for Maternity Ward, 10 beds. Salary, commencing £107 p.a. F.S.S. in force. Uniform provided. Apply with details of training and experience, with Matron's name for reference, to Matron. (1365)

THE KING EDWARD VII WELSH NATIONAL MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

Applications are invited from Nurses (S.R.) for the post of **Ward Sister** at the Kensington Hospital, St. Bride's, Haverfordwest. The Hospital provides treatment for non-pulmonary tuberculosis in children. Experience in orthopaedic nursing would be an advantage. Salary £115—£5—£130 per annum, plus maintenance and uniform. An additional £5 per annum will be paid if in possession of the T.A. Certificate. Contributory superannuation scheme.

Applications, giving full particulars, to be addressed to the Matron. (1385)

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL
COUNTY HOSPITAL, FARNBOROUGH, NR. BROMLEY
(APPROVED AS A "PART I" MIDWIFERY TRAINING SCHOOL)

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Sister** in charge of the Maternity Unit.

Qualifications required:—S.C.M., S.R.N., possession of Midwifery Teacher's Certificates and experience in the teaching of pupil midwives.

Salary £180 to £220 a year by £10 increments. Residential emoluments. Uniform. Superannuation. Medical examination necessary.

Applications stating age, qualifications, experience and the names and addresses of three responsible persons to whom reference can be made, to be sent to the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Maidstone, by 25th August, 1942.

W. L. PLATTS,
County Hall, Clerk of the County Council
Maidstone, Kent.
10th August, 1942. (1455)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF PRESTON
SHAROE GREEN HOSPITAL (250 BEDS)

Applications for the position of **Maternity Ward Sister** are invited from fully qualified and State-registered Nurses.

Salary, £125—£135 per annum with full board, laundry and uniform, plus £13 per annum war bonus.

The selected candidate must pass a medical examination.

Application forms and further details from the Medical Superintendent, Sharoe Green Hospital' Fulwood, Preston, to be returned by 29th August, 1942. (1358)

ROYAL SOUTH HANTS. AND SOUTHAMPTON HOSPITAL

Ward Sisters required. Salary commencing at £110 per annum, with uniform. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply to the Matron. (1355)

CITY OF WAKEFIELD
MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL FOR INFECTIOUS DISEASES AND TUBERCULOSIS

Ward Sister required. Salary £95—£115 by £10 per annum. Uniform and emoluments plus war bonus 3s. 3d. per week. Post subject to Superannuation.

Applications, with copies of three recent testimonials, to Medical Officer of Health, King Street, Wakefield. (1351)

COVENTRY AND WARWICKSHIRE HOSPITAL

Sister, S.R.N., required for new Maternity Block of 24 beds, attached to No. 1 Branch of Hospital on the outskirts of the city. Teachers Certificate an advantage.

Salary £150 per annum, together with uniform, board and lodging. F.S.S. in force.

Apply with full particulars to the Matron and Superintendent of Nurses. (1369)

CITY OF WESTMINSTER
WAR-TIME NURSERY

Applications are invited for the following temporary posts in the war-time Nursery at 5, Bessborough Street, S.W.1.

Sister-in-Charge. Non-resident. Must be a registered Nurse or State-registered Children's Nurse having special experience with infant children. Salary £180 per annum.

Nursery Nurse. Non-resident. Must be qualificated nursery trained Nurse. Salary £[illegible] annum.

Warden. Non-resident. Must have some experience with small children. Certificated salary on Burnham scale. Uncertificated salary up to £150 per annum, according to experience.

No bonus is payable on the above salaries.

Applications (forms not provided) stating age, nationality, qualifications and experience to the undersigned by the 22nd August, 1942.

PARKER MORRIS,
Westminster City Hall, Town Clerk.
Charing Cross Road,
London, W.C.2. (1[illegible])

KENT AND SUSSEX HOSPITAL, TUNBRIDGE WELLS

Assistant Sister required for (1) Ear, Nose and Throat Department (Ward, Theatre and Out-patients); (2) Medical or Surgical Ward. Commencing salary £95 per annum, £105 per annum according to experience, rising by annual increments of £5 to £120 per annum. Superannuation Scheme in force. Uniform provided. Apply to Matron for application form. (1[illegible])

BERKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE DEPARTMENT
VACANT APPOINTMENTS

War bonus is paid in addition to the salaries. Resident appointments include board, lodging, washing and uniform, value for superannuation purposes at £[illegible] per annum. Non-resident appointments an allowance of 25s. weekly will be paid in lieu of emoluments.

BRADFIELD INSTITUTION

Head Nurse. Salary £105—£5—£[illegible] annum.

Assistant Nurses. Salary £55—£5—£[illegible] annum.

WALLINGFORD INSTITUTION

Assistant Nurse. Non-resident. Salary £55—£5—£75 per annum.

NEWBURY, WOKINGHAM and WANTAGE INSTITUTION

Assistant Nurses. Salary £55—£5—£[illegible] annum.

BRADFIELD AND EASTHAMPSTEAD INSTITUTIONS

Female Attendants on Mental Deficiency. Salary £55—£5—£75 per annum.

MAIDENHEAD INSTITUTION

Sister. Salary £105—£5—£120 per annum.

Night Sister. Salary £105—£5—£120 annum.

Assistant Nurses. Salary £55—£5—£[illegible] annum.

WOKINGHAM INSTITUTION

Sister. Salary £105—£5—£120 per annum. Commencing salaries in each case according to experience.

MAIDENHEAD INSTITUTION

Nurse (must possess C.M.B. Certificate). Salary £105 per annum.

Male Attendant. Salary £60 per annum.

Matron's Maid. Salary £50 per annum.

Laundress. Salary £70 per annum, resident; or 55s. per week, non-resident.

The persons appointed must produce a medical certificate as to health if required to do so.

Application to be made on forms obtainable from the County Public Assistance Officer, Abbey Street, Reading, and returned to him as soon as possible.

H. J. C. NEOBARD,
Clerk of the County Council.
Shire Hall, Reading. (1[illegible])

THE KING EDWARD VII WELSH NATIONAL MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

Applications are invited from Nurses (S.R.) for the post of **Ward Sister** for female surgical ward (50 patients) at the Glan Ely Tuberculosis Hospital, Fairwater, Cardiff.

Salary £115 by £5 to £130 per annum plus maintenance and uniform. An additional £5 per annum will be paid if in possession of the T.A. Certificate. Contributory superannuation scheme.

Applications, giving full particulars, to be addressed to the Matron. (1[illegible])

MANCHESTER CORPORATION

Ward Sisters required at Monsall Hospital for Infectious Diseases, Newton Heath, Manchester, 10 (600 beds). Must be General and fever trained and State-registered. Annual salary £123 15s. 11d. to £[illegible] with board, residence, laundry and uniform in addition, subject to the terms and conditions of the Corporation Grading Scheme.

Apply to the Matron at the Hospital. (1[illegible])

COUNTY BOROUGH OF OLDHAM
BOUNDARY PARK GENERAL HOSPITAL
(430 BEDS)

Applications are invited for the post of **Ward Sister.** Salary £115 per annum, plus war bonus together with emoluments. Candidates must be State-registered and State-certified Midwives.

The person appointed will be required to pass a medical examination and to contribute to the Superannuation Fund of the Corporation.

The age limit for new entrants to the Corporation service is 45 years.

Application forms may be obtained from the Matron of the above hospital. (1270)

KENT AND SUSSEX HOSPITAL, TUNBRIDGE WELLS

Holiday Sister required. Salary £110 per annum. For application form apply to Matron. (1367)

KENT AND CANTERBURY HOSPITAL, CANTERBURY

(182 BEDS, AND 137 E.M.S. BEDS)

Sister for Female Surgical Ward required. Salary scale £105—£5—£120 per annum, together with full board residence and uniform. The Federated Superannuation Scheme is in force. Applications should be sent at once to the Matron, giving details of age, training, experience and copies of two recent testimonials. (1398)

EVELINA HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN SOUTHWARK BRIDGE ROAD, S.E.1.

Applications are invited for the post of **Sister-in-Charge** of the Out-patients Department. Candidates must be both General and Children's trained and State-registered. Salary at the rate of £100—£130 together with the usual emoluments and uniform and the commencing salary will be within the scale according to the successful candidates' qualifications and experience. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply at once to the Matron. (1390)

CITY OF NOTTINGHAM

City Hospital. **Sisters** are required for the Maternity unit. Candidates must be State-registered nurses and Certified Midwives with recent midwifery experience. Salary is at the rate of £110 rising by £5 to £125, plus war bonus.

The successful candidates will be required to pass a medical examination and to contribute to the Local Government and other officers Superannuation Act 1922.

Forms of application may be obtained (upon receipt of a stamped addressed foolscap envelope) from the Matron, City Hospital, Hucknall Road, Nottingham. (1429)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF HASTINGS

WARD SISTER & MIDWIVES REQUIRED

Applications are invited for the following appointments at the Hastings Municipal Hospital:

Ward Sister (S.C.M.). Salary £110 per annum, together with uniform and the usual residential allowance. Candidates must be State-registered nurses.

Midwives. Salary £90 per annum, together with uniform and the usual residential allowances. Candidates (not necessarily State-registered nurses) must hold the S.C.M. Certificate.

A new Nurses' Home with separate bedrooms and modern equipment is attached to the Hospital.

Forms of application will be supplied on receipt of a stamped addressed foolscap envelope by.

D. W. JACKSON,
Town Clerk and
Director of Social Welfare.

Town Hall,
"Summer Fields,"
Hastings. (1423)

CHILDREN'S CONVALESCENT HOME, WESTKIRBY

Ward Sister wanted, S.R.C.N. Commencing salary £95 per annum. F.S.S.N in force. Apply Matron. (1469)

HERTFORD COUNTY HOSPITAL HERTFORD
(236 BEDS)

Experienced **Sister** required for Children's Ward 20 Cots, and Women's Medical Ward 15 beds, (combined charge). Candidates must be State-registered Nurses and hold the C.M.B. Certificates. Commencing salary £125 p.a. with annual increments of £7 10s. to £150 p.a. Uniform provided and F.S.S. in Force. Apply with full particulars to Matron. (1443)

THE STAFFORDSHIRE, WOLVERHAMPTON AND DUDLEY JOINT BOARD FOR TUBERCULOSIS

Ward Sister required. S.R.N. Salary £110—£130. War bonus £6 10s. plus £5 if holding T.A. Certificate. Special accommodation is provided for Sisters who themselves have had to undergo Sanatorium Treatment and are now able to take up duties. Uniform provided. Superannuation Scheme in force. Facilities for taking T.A. Certificate. Apply with full particulars to:—Matron, Groundslow Sanatorium, Tittensor, Stoke-on-Trent. (1439)

SAMARITAN HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, MARYLEBONE ROAD, LONDON, N.W.1

Sister required, State-registered Nurse. Salary £110. Superannuation Scheme in force. Uniform and laundry provided.

Apply with full particulars to Matron. (1464)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

NURSES REQUIRED

SENIOR APPOINTMENTS.

SISTER TUTOR.—Salary £150—£10—£180 per annum (emoluments valued at £70 per annum)
Essex County Council Hospital Wanstead, E.11. (General Hospital).

HOME SISTER.—Salary £132—£7 10s.—£162 per annum with additional £5 per annum if possessing the T.A. Certificate (emoluments valued at £70 per annum)

ASSISTANT HOME SISTER.—Salary £122—£7 10s.—£152 per annum with additional £5 per annum if possessing the T.A. Certificate (emoluments valued at £70 per annum).
Essex County Council Hospital, Broomfield, Chelmsford. (Tuberculosis Sanatorium).

NIGHT SISTER.—Salary £122—£7 10s.—£152 per annum with additional £5 per annum if possessing the T. A. Certificate (emoluments valued at £62 4s. per annum).
Harold Court Sanatorium, Harold Wood. (Tuberculosis Sanatorium).

THEATRE SISTER.—Salary £130 per annum (emoluments valued at £70 per annum)
Lodge Hospital, Orsett. (Up graded E.M.S. Hospital).

In all the above appointments, emoluments consist of full board, lodging and laundry valued as indicated. Application forms and further particulars may be obtained from the Matron of the hospital concerned.

STUDENT NURSES.

TRAINING IN GENERAL NURSING
Oldchurch County Hospital, Romford.
Salary £40 by £5 to £50 per annum.
TRAINING FOR T.A. CERTIFICATE.
Essex County Council Hospital, Black Notley, near Braintree.
Essex County Council Hospital, Broomfield, near Chelmsford.
Salary £40 by £5 to £45 per annum.
Application forms and full particulars may be obtained from the Matron of the Hospital concerned.

In all the undermentioned cases, except non-resident appointments, emoluments consisting of full board, lodging, laundry, and uniform together valued at £70 per annum for superannuation purposes are additional to the salaries stated. Commencing salary according to experience.

SISTERS, S.R.N., (Resident).
E.C.C. Hospital, Black Notley, Braintree.
E.C.C. Hospital, Broomfield, Chelmsford.
(Tuberculosis Sanatoria.)
Salary £112 by £7 10s. to £142 per annum (with additional £5 per annum if possessing T.A. certificate).
Oldchurch County Hospital, Romford.
E.C.C. Hospital, Wanstead, E.11.
(General Hospitals.)
E.C.C. Hospital, Black Notley, Braintree.
Lodge Hospital, Orsett.
St. Marys Hospital, Colchester.
(Up-graded E.M.S. Hospitals.)
St. Michael's Hospital, Braintree.
St. James's Hospital, Saffron Walden.
(Public Assistance Institutions.)
Salary £100 by £7 10s. to £130 per annum.

STAFF NURSES, S.R.N. (Resident).
E.C.C. Hospital, Black Notley, Braintree.
E.C.C. Hospital, Broomfield, Chelmsford.
Harold Court Sanatorium, Harold Wood.
(Tuberculosis Sanatoria.)
Salary £107 per annum with additional £5 per annum if possessing the T.A. Certificate.
Oldchurch County Hospital, Romford.
E.C.C. Hospital, Wanstead, E.11.
(General Hospitals.)
E.C.C. Hospital, Black Notley, Braintree.
St. Margaret's Hospital, Epping.
Lodge Hospital, Orsett.
(Up-graded E.M.S. Hospitals.)
Salary £95 per annum.

ASSISTANT NURSES (untrained) with at least two years' experience in hospital. (Resident).
E.C.C. Hospital, Broomfield, Chelmsford.
Harold Court Sanatorium, Harold Wood.
(Tuberculosis Sanatoria.)
Salary £72 by £5 to £77 per annum with additional £5 per annum if possessing the T.A. Certificate.
E.C.C. Hospital, Wanstead, E.11.
(General Hospital.)
E.C.C. Hospital, Black Notley, Braintree.
St. John's Hospital, Chelmsford.
St. Mary's Hospital, Colchester.
St. Margaret's Hospital, Epping.
Lodge Hospital, Orsett.
(Up-graded E.M.S. Hospitals.)
St. Michael's Hospital, Braintree.
St. James's Hospital, Saffron Walden.
(Public Assistance Institutions.)
Salary £60 by £5 to £65 per annum.

MALE NURSES, Unregistered, with some experience.
Oldchurch County Hospital, Romford.
(General Hospital.)
E.C.C. Hospital, Black Notley, Braintree.
(Up-graded E.M.S. Hospital.)
St. Michael's Hospital, Braintree.
St. James's Hospital, Saffron Walden.
(Public Assistance Institutions.)
Salary £75 by £5 to £95 per annum, plus £58 10s. per annum in lieu of residential emoluments, plus war bonus.

Application forms and full particulars may be obtained from the Matron of the respective Hospitals concerned.

"ESSEX" SCHEME.
for the Training of Assistant Nurses.
(two years)
Vacancies exist at **St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay; St. John's Hospital, Chelmsford; St. Margaret's Hospital, Epping and The Lodge Hospital, Orsett.**
Salary £50—£55 per annum.
Full particulars may be obtained from the Public Assistance Officer, Waterloo Lane, Chelmsford.

JOHN E. LIGHTBURN,
Clerk of the Council.
County Hall,
Chelmsford.
10th August, 1942. (1450)

QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING

Nurses (S.R.N.) are urgently needed. Six months' training, with a salary, given in district nursing followed by midwifery training to suitable candidates. Training homes in London, the Provinces and South Wales. Subsequent work in rural or urban districts.

For further particulars apply Queen's Institute of District Nursing, 57, Lower Belgrave Street, London, S.W.1. (1446)

QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING SCOTTISH BRANCH

There are immediate vacancies in the Central Training Home, Edinburgh, for trained **Nurses** who wish to train as Queen's Nurses. Salary while undertaking this training is at the rate of £70 per annum with all else provided. Nurses not holding the Certificate of the Central Midwives' Board are given this training after completion of District Training and Nurses holding Part I Certificate of the Central Midwives' Board for Scotland may receive District Training followed by Part II Midwifery Training, provided entry to the Central Training Home is made immediately after gaining the first Certificate. Salary during the first six months Midwifery Training is at the rate of £42 per annum and at the rate of £70 per annum during the second six months. Nurses holding the Health Visitor's Certificate are able to complete District Training in four months' time.

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Ex-Queen's Nurses willing to re-join for work under the Queen's Institute (Scottish Branch) can be considered for vacancies.

Further particulars as to training, salaries and pension will be sent on application to the Superintendent for Scotland, 26, Castle Terrace, Edinburgh. (493)

HERTFORD COUNTY HOSPITAL HERTFORD

Assistant Masseuse required. Applications are invited from candidates holding all Certificates. Commencing salary £95 p.a. Uniform provided. Apply with full particulars to Matron. (269)

ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSPITAL, READING

Immediate vacancy for a qualified **Assistant Masseuse** with M.E. and L.E.T. Certificates. Salary at the rate of £85 per annum, with full residence and uniform.

Apply to the Matron. (77)

SALISBURY GENERAL INFIRMARY

Two **Resident Masseuses** wanted. One immediately, previous experience not essential. Salary £85. Possessing L.E.T. £90 per annum.

One for September. Previous experience essential. Salary according to experience.

Apply to Matron. (1152)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, LEWISHAM, S.E.13

Required **Resident Masseuse** to begin duty as soon as possible. Salary according to Chartered Society's Scale. Usual emoluments. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply Matron. (1154)

ROYAL BUCKINGHAMSHIRE HOSPITAL AYLESBURY

Masseuse (non-resident), holding full certificates of C.S.M. & M.G. Salary £180—£200 per annum with lunch and tea. F.S.S.N. & H.O. in force.

Hospital has modern, well-equipped electro-therapy department.

Applications stating age, qualifications, experience, etc., with two testimonials, to reach Matron as soon as possible. (1135)

BISHOP'S STORTFORD GENERAL HOSPITAL, HERTS.

Junior Masseuse required. Commencing salary £85 p.a. Resident. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply with particulars to the Matron. (1406)

HORNSEY CENTRAL HOSPITAL, PARK ROAD, CROUCH END, N.8
(72 BEDS)

Masseuse (fully trained) required October 1st. Resident post. Salary £100 per annum. Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply with full particulars to Matron. (1395)

COSSHAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, KINGSWOOD, BRISTOL (100 BEDS)

Required resident **Masseuse** to take charge of Department, must be fully qualified. Salary £110 p.a. F.S.S.N.H.O. in force.

Applications with copies of three recent testimonials to be sent to Matron (1377)

MANSFIELD AND DISTRICT GENERAL HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD

GRADE "A" FRACTURE DEPARTMENT

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Applications to be sent to the Matron.

PRESTON KITCHEN, Town Clerk
Municipal Buildings, Middlesbrough.
August 5th, 1942. (1277)

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Charge Nurses (2). Salary £80—£90 per annum rising £5 annually.

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Charge Nurse (C.M.B.). Salary £80—£90 per annum rising £5 annually.

Board, lodging and uniform provided. War bonus: Men, 6s. 6d. per week; women, 5s. per week.

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Applications on forms to be obtained from the Public Assistance Officer, "Felixwell," St. Thomas, Exeter, must be returned to him not later than 27th August, 1942.

A. J. WITHYCOMBE,
Clerk of the Council.
(1420)

WOKING AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL PRIVATE PATIENTS' ANNEXE
(12 BEDS)

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Apply with particulars to Matron, Victoria Hospital, Woking, Surrey. (1411)

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CITY OF BATH
SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Applications are invited for appointments as **Staff Nurses,** S.R.N. (resident or non-resident) at St. Martin's Hospital, Combe Down, Bath. Salary for resident officers £95 by £5 to £105 per annum plus war bonus and the usual residential emoluments. Salary for non-resident officers £155 by £5 to £165 per annum plus living out allowance.

Applications on forms to be obtained from the undersigned should be returned as soon as possible.

WALTER HEMER,
Director of Social Welfare.
12, Charlotte Street, Bath. (1427)

CITY OF BATH
SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Staff Midwife, S.C.M., required at St. Martin's Hospital, Combe Down, Bath. If resident, commencing salary £90 rising by £5 to £105, and war bonus, together with usual residential emoluments. If non-resident living out allowance of £60 is paid. If S.R.N. commencing salary £100 rising by £5 to £110.

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WALTER HEMER,
Director of Social Welfare.
12, Charlotte Street, Bath. (1426)

OXFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE COMMITTEE
CHARGE NURSE
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Forms of application can be obtained from the Public Assistance Officer, 10 New Road, Oxford and should be returned to him not later than the 23rd August, 1942.

F. G. SCOTT,
Clerk of the Council.
County Hall,
Oxford.
11th August, 1942. (1445)

GAYWOOD HALL NURSING HOME KING'S LYNN

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Forms of application may be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health, Civic Centre, Southampton. (1298)

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HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
SHRODELL'S HOSPITAL, WATFORD

Temporary **Staff Nurse** required for Shr[illegible] Hospital, Watford, holding C.M.B. Certificate.

The salary for this appointment will be £90 [illegible] annum, rising by £5 per annum to £105 per [illegible] if resident, or if non-resident, £178 per [illegible] rising by £5 per annum to £183 per annum.

Forms of application may be obtained from [illegible] Master, Shrodells, 60, Vicarage Road, Wat[illegible] and should be returned to him as early as pos[illegible]

ELTON LONGMO[illegible]
County Hall, Clerk of the County Co[illegible]
Hertford.
7th August, 1942. (1[illegible])

SAINT MARY'S HOSPITALS, WHITWORTH PARK, MANCHESTER,
(Affiliated Training School)

State-registered **Staff Nurse** for a Gynaecological Ward. Salary £90 per annum. Uniform [illegible] plied. Superannuation Scheme in force. Ap[illegible] with Matron's name for reference to Matron. (1[illegible])

BRADFORD AUXILIARY HOSPITAL, RAWDON, Near LEEDS

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Apply to the Matron, giving names of refe[illegible] and name of previous Matron. (1[illegible])

IPSWICH COUNTY BOROUGH COUN[illegible]
BOROUGH GENERAL HOSPITAL

Night Staff Midwife. A vacancy occ[illegible] September 25th for Night Staff Midwife [illegible] Maternity block. Candidates must be S.R.[illegible] and S.C.M. Salary £80 per annum plus [illegible] war allowance, plus usual emoluments [illegible] holiday subsistence allowance, pensio[illegible] medical examination necessary. Apply w[illegible] three testimonials and matron's name [illegible] reference to Matron, Borough General Hos[illegible]pital, Heath Road, Ipswich. (1[illegible])

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To Effect a Cure

AT the moment the crying need of staff for sanatoria opens up the question as to why this staff is difficult to obtain, and we are very glad to see that our readers are thinking about this problem, and sending us suggestions as to ways and means by which the staff can be increased to meet the needs of the tuberculous patient. The question is, of course, not solely a war-time problem, but war-time conditions have made it much more acute.

One correspondent writes this week to suggest the importance of means of transport for the staff of the sanatoria to nearby towns for shopping and entertainment—a point which we stressed in discussing the debate in the House of Lords in last week's issue. It is, of course, a difficult time in which to make travelling concessions because of the vital need, in the national interest, to conserve fuel in every possible direction. We must remember that at the moment many men and women in the Services are working in isolated spots, many miles from towns and cities and even bus routes, yet they are only allowed limited transport on three days in the week. At a moment when fuel economy is of such critical importance, our present pleasure must be sacrificed to our future liberty. On the other hand the burden should be equally shared. Is the position of the nurse in the sanatoria equal to the position of the V.A.D. in the country house turned into an emergency hospital or convalescent home with regard to petrol? Is it as good as the position of the member of the A.T.S. or W.A.A.F.? It ought to be, for both are equally fighting the country's enemies.

Another writer brought up the vexed question of the employment of ex-patients as nurses in sanatoria. Some sanatoria do this but in other cases the matron may say, 'As soon as I take ex-patients as nurses, it stops me from getting other nurses.' This may be true but it ought not to be true. If it is true, it suggests that the 'other nurses' fear that they may be infected by close contact with the ex-patients who are on the nursing staff. Actually, of course, in theory and in fact there is no risk; for no open case of tuberculosis would normally be allowed to work as a nurse and only the open case, i.e., the case with positive sputum, can infect others. On the other hand, the nursing profession is perhaps not sufficiently well-informed for this knowledge to oust the perhaps sub-conscious fear of infection.

Personally we wonder whether it would not materially help to lay this ghost, if all crockery were boiled as a routine for all the staff as well as for the patients. It may be argued that to boil the crockery would suggest that there really is a risk to the other members of the staff which, in fact, does not exist. This may be true, but it is a hygienic measure to which no one could take exception and it would not have the very undesirable affect that keeping separate crockery for the two sections of the staff would have: the latter is psychologically bad to the ex-patients, making them feel that they are different when they are not. We should be glad to have the opinions of our readers on the matter. Would the boiling of crockery help to overcome the staffing difficulty?

Of course, much more serious than the question of crockery is the question of cough. Coughing is the greatest danger and it sometimes happens that nurses themselves are stupidly selfish in respect to the risks of infecting others, just as others are unnecessarily over-conscientious and therefore miserable, as they feel themselves to be as outcast as the leper of old. We recently heard of a case of an ex-patient on the staff of a sanatorium who was coughing frequently but said she had no sputum. After a little time the doctor insisted on an X-ray and found a cavity which required immediate treatment. Was she deliberately exposing her colleagues to the risk of infection or was she deceiving herself that there was no sputum because, psychologically, she would not face up to the situation? In such a case the boiling of crockery might have given the non-infected members of the staff a sense of protection, though we suppose the moral is that no such patient with a cough should be allowed to remain on duty. What do our readers feel in connection with this problem and making the protection of the non-infected as fool-proof as possible?

Of course, the greatest risk of infection comes from the very serious cases, with highly infected sputum, who are coughing continuously. These cases are more often found in the wards of general hospitals than in the sanatoria. Against them the nurse is given instructions to protect herself: never to allow them to cough into her face, to prevent them putting handkerchiefs under pillows and into pockets of bedjackets which the nurse must shake before her face. Sometimes we wonder whether in the most virulent and dangerous cases—the pathological department can pick them out—the nurse should not wear a mask for her own protection while she is attending to the patient. For advice to the nurse to think of herself and to keep out of the way is all very well in theory; in practice, when dealing with a severe paroxysm of coughing or an attack of haemoptysis, the thought of the patient and how to help him most will come before the thought of herself and how to avoid infection.

Now is the time for nurses, especially those with much experience, to say why nurses avoid this type of nursing work.

A Happy Family Group

WELCOME TO THE NEW MEMBER! *Their Royal Highnesses, The Duke and Duchess of Kent, with Princess Alexandra, Prince Edward and Prince George*

Left: *Captain M. Jane Clement who is in charge of the corps of United States nurses in Australia.* Below: *nurses parade in the grounds of a large house taken over by the Red Cross, in their smart uniforms*

A U. S. A. CORPS OF NURSES IN AUSTRALIA

Topical Notes

First Year Record

'MANY hospitals are now recruiting a substantial proportion of their student nurses through the Nursing Recruitment Centre,' said H.R.H. the Duke of Kent at the forty-fifth annual meeting of the King Edward's Hospital Fund at the House of Lords last week. The Nursing Recruitment Service presented the results of its first complete year's working. Lord Luke told how the Service had grown. Over 1,100 candidates accepted by hospitals, 4,360 applications and 2,000 interviews at the centre were only a part of its activities, which had now been extended to the provinces in co-operation with the Nuffield Provincial Hospitals Trust. During the year, 46 talks on nursing in schools, not to mention contacts with headmistresses, universities, medical officers of health and the general press, had helped to spread correct knowledge of the nursing profession, conditions of work and training. The Service had also arranged visits to hospitals for schoolgirls and representatives of the press, so that they could see for themselves the circumstances under which nurses live and work in modern hospitals. The value of this propaganda is difficult to estimate, but that it is of great value there can be no question.

Red Cross Exhibition

SUBTLE recruitment propaganda, combined with their money-raising efforts, always characterizes the publicity of the various Red Cross organizations. The exhibition of war pictures, organized by *Illustrated* in co-operation with the Ministry of Information, in aid of the Red Cross Penny a Week Fund, is no exception. There is a Russian nurse in the Soviet 'chamber of horrors' and a Chinese nurse in the general section; otherwise nursing is represented by the Red Cross nurse who pursues her decorative way in hospital and day nursery, as if she alone bears the burden and heat of the day. Possibly, because the imitation rarely equals the original, this exhibition does not strike the same chord as 'Allies in Action', its predecessor. Some of the pictures are the same; there is not such grace of hanging, nor such clever captioning. There are, however, some fine photographs and, as Mr. Brendan Bracken stated at the opening, 'If you want to see what invasion really means, look at some of these pictures.' The exhibition remains at Dorland House until August 29; it is worth a visit.

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Malta Waits for You

AUGUST is holiday month but, through air raids and heat, Malta carries on. For 24 hours of the day, there is hardly a respite; the siren perpetually wails; there are always raiders overhead; always casualty after casualty for whom the hospitals must find accommodation—in the words of Air Vice Marshal Sir Hugh Pughe Lloyd, former Air Officer Commanding the Royal Air Force in the Mediterranean, 'Malta will remain a thorn in the side of the axis till the end of the war.' That is why we ask for your help to endow a bed in a Malta hospital; that is why we are sure that the nursing profession will wish to help the indomitable Maltese and those who nurse them. Hospitals are collecting in bulk; nurses are subscribing privately. Donations come in daily from nurses in public health departments, from nurses in day nurseries, from nurses in first aid posts, from groups of nurses and their friends; but we know there are still many more nurses who will want to join in. Just a 1s. from each one of our readers will soon bring up our fund to £1,000. Subscriptions this week include:

The Herrison Hospital, Dorchester, £15 10s.; the Southern General Hospital, Glasgow, £5; the Royal Aberdeen Hospital for Sick Children, £4 15s.; the Southmead Hospital, Bristol, £3 3s.—the result of 3d. dances held by the student nurses; the public health section of the Harrogate and District Branch, 10s.; from Miss Venables, £1; in addition, a quantity of miscellaneous gifts not yet valued.

Donations, in cash and in kind, from the nursing profession should be sent to the Silver Thimble Fund, c.o. *the Nursing Times*, Macmillan and Company, St. Martin's Street, London, W.C.2.

Saving Hospitals

ALTHOUGH hospitals have suffered during the raids of the last few weeks, speedy fire fighting by the nursing staffs has saved many lives and buildings. Three Birmingham hospitals received damage from fire bombs and literally showers of incendiaries, in one instance, fell on sleeping patients; but the only casualty was one nurse hit in the shoulder. In a north-east town, a building collapsed killing a recently married nurse as she helped with the rescue work. The Norfolk and Norwich Hospital, in a raid some weeks ago, lost £3,000 worth of material in their linen store. Widely scattered as these raids are and affecting every kind of hospital, every account relates to the coolness and courage of both patients and nurses, who have had many miraculous escapes.

Sanatoria in Wales

THE Minister of Health met a deputation from the Welsh Parliamentary party recently to discuss the position of tuberculosis in Wales. The waiting list of just over 500 beds in Welsh

sanatoria was largely due to lack of staff—particularly domestic staff—said the Minister. Another reason for the waiting list was the trend of lengthening hospital treatment. Out of 1,969 beds available in the Welsh National Memorial Association's institutions, 128 were out of commission owing to the shortage of staff. The problem was important and should be solved quickly; it was not so large that it could not be solved quickly. The Ministry of Labour had instructed their regional controllers to give preference to the filling of vacancies for domestic workers at hospitals—with special emphasis on sanatoria. Members of the deputation promised that the Parliamentary party would do all they could to recruit nurses in their own constituencies. With the national recruitment campaign, the possibility of some more beds in emergency hospitals and the 600-bed hospital soon to be opened near Swansea, Wales is looking forward to better days.

For the Premature Infant

Mothers can obtain condensed and evaporated milk without surrendering points for premature and other weakly infants under 12 months of age on presenting a medical certificate to the local food office. Each case will be considered on its merits; the doctor can only issue certificates for infants when there is no satisfactory alternative food available.

Nursing No Substitute

Among the many activities of the Women's Employment Federation is lecturing in schools. "We do not," said Mrs. Wise, M.A., J.P., Chief Advisory Officer, speaking at a recent public health luncheon, "over-emphasize nursing; for we do not feel that it will benefit the nursing profession if a girl takes up nursing just to escape joining the Services. We do, however, point out that the girl who takes up nursing receives a definite training and that nursing is a career that will go on after the war. One of the serious effects of the war, not fully realised even by headmistresses, is that girls of 16 and 17 are drifting into blind alley employment": surely an additional argument for pre-nursing courses? Surveying the work of older women, Mrs. Wise stated that most older women are now at work, but the majority of them are working rather below their mental capacity. Many, too, spurned in the early days of the war have found 'comfortable, holes' and no longer wish to come forward. In this category, we do not feel that there are many nurses; but with the shortage of nurses rapidly becoming a national problem, is there not a percentage of married nurses who can shed domestic ties and return to the profession, even if it is only to do part-time work in a day nursery?"

Paper Nurseries

Any effort to further the nursery school movement is welcome, but is it not a pity that there is not a concerted movement on the part of the Ministry of Health, the local authorities, the architects concerned and representatives of those who staff the nursery schools? The purpose of the recent exhibition, organized by the Cement and Concrete Association, is to assist local authorities to erect the standardized nurseries—and incidentally, to show the uses of cement. From the architectural standpoint, the various plans are interesting showing the adaptation of the hut pattern to differing sites; also the weaknesses of the day nursery scheme which, ideal on paper, does not work out in actual fact. A nursery should take eight weeks to erect; but a nursery begun in January is not yet finished. The pre-fabricated material is quickly available but there are no standardized fittings so that there may be a delay of months. None of us would deny the psychological importance of colour and movement in the training of the child, but is it a practical proposition to include, as mural decoration, appliquéd, wooden animals placed well above the children's heads, with the idea that the staff holds the children up at intervals to play with them? Lady Allen of Hurtwood opened the exhibition which is to tour the country.

THIS WEEK

OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS AT THE DOOR

Book now for September courses in Dietetics at the Royal College of Nursing, in Day Nursery Work at Birmingham and Glasgow. *See pages 528 (Aug. 8) and 542.*

First Aid for Phosphorus Burns

Now that incendiary bombs containing phosphorus are being used in air raid attacks nurses will find the following simple instructions useful:—

1. Immerse the affected part in water or, if sufficient water is not available, apply a thick pad soaked in water.
2. Particles of phosphorus embedded in the skin should be removed under water by means of gauze held in forceps or a soft brush or a blunt knife.
3. No oils or greasy dressings should be used, as oils dissolve phosphorus and spread it.
4. Wash with dilute alkaline solution such as sodium bicarbonate or sodium carbonate, two teaspoonfuls to a pint of water.
5. Remove all traces of phosphorus by washing with 1 or 2 per cent. solution of copper sulphate.
6. Remove the résultant dark deposit of copper sulphide and wash with a mild antiseptic such as boric acid.
7. Apply a dressing as for ordinary burns—tannic acid jelly or gentian violet jelly, 1 per cent., sterile gauze or clean linen, dry, or soaked in sodium bicarbonate solution.

Phosphorus burns are treated, after this first aid treatment, as ordinary burns. Clothing splashed with phosphorus should be kept wet until taken off; any particle of phosphorus can be seen by examining the burn in the dark—a phosphorescent glow will show up even the smallest portion.

Below: young students from Yenching University, which has American support and which was formerly in Canton, train to be nurses. With their professors, they made a forced march hundreds of miles into the interior to establish a new college

Above: the staff of Guy's hospital cultivates an allotment in the blitzed foundations; a sister is proud of her fine lettuces

Speeding Up First Aid

The DOCK SQUAD "ON THE JOB"

DURING the heavy raids of 1940, the docks received more than their quota of destruction. Casualties were exceptionally heavy: the first aid squad in constant action. Often the planes came back and back to drop a fresh load before the rescue workers could cope with the first lot of injured. First aid workers had to be in top gear sometimes for 24 hours on end. Something had to be done to speed up the rescuing and to ease the burden of the rescuers. From this need originated the Trigglift—brilliant in its ingenuity.

A Pocket Stretcher

The Trigglift consists of four canvas webbing strips, each of them five inches wide: two are 11 inches long, two are 26 inches long. Each strip has square metal handles; the top one 12 inches long, the lower one three inches long. Each of the dock squad carries a complete Trigglift in his pocket so that the Trigglift can go into action as quickly as the squad. Under the auspices of the Port of London Authority, the Trigglift is used through dockland.

Above: *the Trigglift, naked in its simplicity*

Above: *with the long and short handles of the Trigglift arranged alternately and the canvas strips under the head, shoulders, buttocks and feet, the team of four finds the burden light*

Left: *the casualty is in an awkward position against a wall. The rescue party first holds the feet together with a triangular bandage; then slips the Trigglift underneath*

Above: *the dock squad using the long metal handles, slips the Trigglift under the casualty to raise him into the stretcher. There is no difficulty whether the patient is on the ground or already on a stretcher*

Right: *in emergency, if only two men are available, the Trigglift can still work. They slip a board under the patient, then gently ease him up*

From the point of view of the casualty, the use of the Trigglift for rescue work is equally important. He reaches hospital more quickly. He is saved increase of injuries by transference from one stretcher to another.

INFANT FEEDING.—I*

By E. B. BERENICE HUMPHREYS, M.B., Ch.B.,
Maternity and Child Welfare Medical Officer, City of Leicester

CONCERNING the best method of infant feeding, there can be no real controversy as I think all persons will agree that breast milk is best. Speaking to post-graduate nurses, one need only revise certain facts which are already well-known. Breast milk is best because it has been proved to fulfil the physiological requirements of the infant's digestion; it is of uniform temperature; it is clean; it is available when required and this at no financial cost to the mother. In addition, it contains the necessary vitamins (with reservations to be mentioned later). In the case of many premature infants their only chance of survival depends on being fed with human milk; also suckling is of real value psychologically to the mother.

The Composition of Breast Milk

During the first seven to ten days after the birth of the baby the breast secretion, i.e., colostrum, is richer in protein and weaker in sugar and in fat than when the supply is established, but this is easier for the newly-born to digest. It also contains the antibodies and protective substances derived from the mother. These facts justify the emphasis which is laid on the value of breast feeding, for no matter how short a period. By the fourth week, breast milk is mature and then it remains practically unaltered throughout lactation. Its detailed composition differs from cow's milk in the proportion of the lact-albumin and caseinogen content, which is in the proportion of two to one. This is reversed in cow's milk. The casein curd is a much finer one than with cow's milk. The fat content is a fine emulsion and the carbohydrate is largely lactose.

The iron content, which is estimated at 0.16 mg. per cent., is considered insufficient without the foetal storage of iron in the liver. On this reserve the infant draws up to its sixth month and thereafter it requires supplementary iron in the form of meat juice or vegetable broth. Otherwise a nutritional anaemia will develop even in a breast fed baby. The vitamin content is adequate only if the mother's diet is adequate in these substances.

Variation in quantity can be assessed only by test feeds and these, to be of full value, should be carried out over a period of 24 hours. The amount may vary within two or three ounces per feed, which makes it important to obtain an average of each meal for 24 hours. The first meal is generally the largest, the mid-day breast feed is slightly more than half the first one, while the last feed at night tends to be a little greater than the mid-day feed.

Variation with the age of the child. The usual quantities are one ounce per feed during the first week, four ounces per feed by the third month, and seven to eight ounces per feed by the sixth month.

There is variation in amount with the stimulus of suckling, e.g., the breast milk of a wet nurse increases with the number of infants suckling.

Decreases in quantity are affected most by domestic cares and worries. Too often one hears that the milk "went" when the mother "got up." Rest at mid-day with light massage of the breasts, together with hot and cold douches, are often sufficient to re-establish breast milk, though it may be necessary to introduce a supplementary feed as a temporary measure.

Variation in Composition

Breast milk varies in composition in the following ways:—

At different meals. Fat is the most variable constituent, as it has increased by mid-day up to as much as 2 per cent.

During a meal. It should be remembered that the "strippings" are often 3 per cent. to 4 per cent. higher in fat content and it is, therefore, essential to empty the breasts even to the extent of advising alternating breasts for feeding. This fact should also be borne in mind when sampling, as the milk submitted for analysis should be drawn off about five minutes after the child has commenced to suckle.

The composition of breast milk is difficult to alter by diet, unless it is of very poor quality initially. It is the total output rather than the constituent deficiency that is affected. The need is not so much for large quantities of milk as such, but for a balanced diet with an abundance of fluid.

*Summary of a lecture on infant feeding given to the Leicester Branch of the Royal College of Nursing

It should be remembered that certain drugs, if taken by the mother, may be excreted in the breast milk, e.g., belladonna, arsenics, salicylates, iodides and bromides.

The technique of breast feeding though simple is of great importance, as faulty technique alone is sufficient to cause breast feeding to fail. The mother should, if possible, have privacy in a quiet place and should herself be comfortable in a low chair with the child resting in the crook of her arm, the other hand being free to direct the nipple of the breast from which the infant is suckling. A mistake too often made is to bury the infant's face in the breast. This causes partial nasal obstruction and accounts for the frequent statement that the child turned away from the breast.

Duration. A total of 20 minutes is considered long enough, as anything more than that generally results in the child mouthing the nipple. Consecutive feeds should be given from alternate breasts and whether one or both breasts are used per feed depends on the quantity of milk available, the important matter being to empty the breast completely at any one feed time. The nipples should be swabbed with weak boracic solution at the beginning and end of each feed.

Contra-Indications of Breast Feeding

Contra-indications of breast feeding are comparatively few and are rarely the ones given for weaning the child prematurely. They include:—

(1) **Diseases of the Mother.** Acute infectious fevers, carcinoma, chronic nephritis, and eclampsia would contra-indicate the extra strain of breast feeding.

Concerning tuberculosis, it is known that pulmonary lesions frequently become more active after parturition, so that theoretically the tuberculous mother should be spared the extra strain of suckling. But unless the child is removed entirely from the parent, the denial of breast feeding is no guarantee that the child will not become infected by the mother, as she will continue to handle and to fondle her child. Without a complete disassociation of the child from the mother, it is my experience that it serves no useful purpose to advise weaning.

The re-establishment of the menstrual flow in a healthy woman should not be taken as an indication for weaning. But if a second pregnancy is diagnosed during lactation, then it is unreasonable to expect the mother to suckle her infant.

Diseases of the Breast. Retraction of the nipple, especially in a primipara, often causes suckling of itself to fail, but this is not sufficient reason for denying the child the milk, which can be obtained by other means from the breast. But a fissure of the nipple is so painful as to make it impossible to feed the infant with the breast milk either directly or indirectly. Suppuration of, or tuberculosis or carcinoma of the breast are obvious contra-indications to breast feeding.

(2) **Diseases of the Infant.** The condition of hare lip with cleft palate makes it impossible for the infant to suckle, and as the breast milk usually disappears in the absence of the stimulus of suckling, other methods have to be resorted to. I would repeat that in premature and feeble infants, their chance of survival often depends on breast feeding.

A word of warning should be given against wrong handling of lactating breasts. Manual expression of the milk undertaken with too much vigour can cause damage to the breast tissue, a fact that is often lost sight of by the enthusiastic nurse. It is better to rely on a hand pump or electric pump if the attendant is at all likely to be too energetic in expressing breast milk.

The Wrong Reasons

The wrong reasons for weaning are the ones which concern us most as the contra-indications enumerated are fairly obvious and not controversial The most common reason given is that the breast milk does not agree with the child, whereas the truth lies usually in faulty technique. Over-feeding in a breast-fed infant is rare, so an infant may be too hungry at the commencement of the feed and gulp a quanty of wind. If this is the reason, it is necessary to shorten the interval between feeds from four hours to three hours and to advise feeding from both breasts at each feed, before accepting the mother's idea that there is something wrong with the breast milk. Test feeds on the lines

indicated and, if necessary, sampling of the milk, should supply data for the assurance of the mother.

If, after this consideration, supplementary feeding is necessary, it should be resorted to only after the breast feed, and whatever mixture is given should not be too sweet, otherwise it may be difficult to get the child to take even the amount of breast milk which is available.

Wet nursing has been found of value for the premature and feeble infant, though the method is not used to the extent that its value would indicate. Constitutional diseases in the wet nurse should be excluded, but no disparity in the age of her own and the "adopted" child should preclude wet nursing if the infant is four weeks old.

(*To be continued*)

HERPES

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ALTHOUGH herpes is generally considered to be a harmless clinical condition, it is, nevertheless, one of very great interest from many points of view, as I shall try to show in this article.

It should be understood that there are two quite distinct diseases which may both be known as herpes. One is herpes febrilis, which is often simply called herpes, and the other is herpes zoster or shingles, often called zoster. Both conditions are characterized by the occurrence of small herpetic vesicles on the skin, and are caused by filterable viruses.

Herpes Febrilis

Herpes febrilis may show itself in various ways. Perhaps the most common manifestation is febrile herpes, which is characterized by the appearance of small vesicles on the skin or mucous membranes during the course of pyrexial diseases such as pneumonia, malaria, and influenza. In these cases the eruption is usually present on the lips but may be found on the face.

It is now thought that aphthous stomatitis is another manifestation of infection by herpes.

Herpes simplex is a herpetic type of eruption which occurs in the absence of pyrexia, and may be associated with gastric disorder or the injection of vaccines. Recently I have found, with Major van Rooyen and Capt. Ewing, that sulphapyridine may render persons unduly sensitive to T.A.B., so that they readily develop herpes after such an injection of vaccine.

Herpetic eruptions may also occur on the genitals (herpes genitalis) or the cornea (herpes cornealis). These corneal eruptions usually form ulcers and cause severe pain and discomfort.

Many cases of herpes tend to recur, several attacks affecting the same patient, often at short intervals.

The spread of herpes. Herpes of the various clinical types described above is a true infective disease, which arises in various ways. In the great majority of cases, the infection is probably autogenous, that is to say, the patient carries the causal virus (see below) of herpes in his saliva, pharyngeal, nasal or conjunctival secretion. This virus, usually present in an inactive condition, may awaken into activity for any of the various reasons mentioned above (e.g., fevers, vaccines, etc.) and sometimes, perhaps, for no very obvious reason. In other cases, no doubt, the virus spreads from person to person by means of small infected droplets of secretion, similar to the spread of measles, colds, 'flu and so on, or by grosser means such as improperly washed cups, spoons, or forks, soiled with infective saliva.

Small epidemics, especially in soldiers in barracks and military hospitals have been described, and there is some justification for believing that such cases of herpes are more common in the winter months, when respiratory infections are more prevalent.

Finally, genital herpes is one of the venereal diseases.

The Causal Agent

The causal agent of herpes. All the various clinical types referred to above; e.g., herpes febrilis, simplex, genitalis and cornealis are caused by one and the same filterable virus.

This agent, the herpes virus, can be found as a minute particle, about 0.25μ in diameter in the vesicles of herpes, and can be demonstrated in specially stained films of the exudate. Like all viruses it cannot be grown on the ordinary laboratory media, such as broth or blood agar, and special methods involving the use of the fertile egg and tissue culture are needed to obtain growths. The presence of the virus can be readily demonstrated, however, by animal inoculation. If an herpetic vesicle is punctured and a small amount of the serous contents withdrawn and applied to the cornea (previously scarified) of a rabbit in a few days a severe keratitis ensues. In some cases this inflammation is very marked and the virus actually spreads from the cornea and reaches the animal's brain producing encephalitis.

Nursing precautions in herpes. From what has been said, it will be evident that herpes is an infectious disease produced by a perfectly definite entity—the herpes virus. Every precaution should be taken, therefore, to avoid spreading the disease to oneself or to other patients. One of the most important points is to see that the patient's eating and drinking utensils are carefully washed and not used by others.

No special treatment is required, but a suitable ointment may be applied, or the lesions may be treated with antiseptic powder.

Herpes Zoster

Although resembling herpes febrilis in many respects herpes zoster or shingles is a distinct entity produced by a different filterable virus.

The clinical features of shingles as it occurs on the trunk are well-known and need not be described. Instead of the eruption occurring on the trunk, however, it may occur elsewhere. Thus in some patients the characteristic eruption appears on the forehead, cornea, nose, ear or inside the mouth and pharynx. In some cases of severe herpes zoster the virus also attacks nerves, resulting in paralysis. Thus nerves of the limbs, and, in serious cases, the cranial nerves, become affected with consequent paralysis of important muscles.

Spread along Nerve Sheaths

The spread of shingles. The eruption of shingles on the skin is always associated with inflammatory changes in the spinal ganglia corresponding to the area of skin involved. It is by no means certain, however, how the virus of herpes zoster reaches these spinal ganglia, but it is suggested by some that the virus is present on the skin of the patient and then spreads up along the nerve sheaths to the ganglia. Then when an inflammatory reaction develops in the ganglia, this results in a skin eruption breaking out and we have the fully developed case of herpes zoster. Another view is that the virus may be carried in the upper respiratory tract and reach the spinal ganglia via the blood.

A very interesting fact is definitely known in connection with the spread of herpes zoster, and that is that chicken pox may break out in persons (especially children) exposed to contact with shingles, and to a lesser extent the opposite also occurs, that is to say, cases of herpes zoster develop in persons who have come in contact with chicken pox. In explanation of this occurrence, laboratory studies have now shown that both chicken pox and shingles are caused by viruses which resemble each other very closely, and which are in fact probably identical.

The causal agent of herpes zoster. Herpes zoster is caused by a filterable virus which resembles that of herpes febrilis in its morphology, being a small particle about 0.25μ in diameter. It differs markedly from herpes febrilis, however, in that it cannot be transmitted readily, if at all, to laboratory animals.

Nursing precautions in herpes zoster. The condition is an infective one and this should be borne in mind when the skin eruption is dressed. Apart fron this the most important point is that children should be discouraged from visiting the sick-room owing to their special tendency to contract chicken pox.

The lesions may be treated with antiseptic powder or ointment; and when the pain is severe a sedative may be needed.

THE WOMAN OF 50 TO-DAY

Thanks to the changed status of women in this generation, middle life has been relieved of its dull monotony. To-day the woman of 50 years, whether married or single, need not find herself lost and useless. A wealth of activities and interests is at her disposal. Social activities, athletics, civic affairs and club work offer ample opportunities for her to carry on with pleasure and satisfaction to herself and others. All these things probably account for the fact that women of to-day are making less of "the change of life" than did their sex in the past.—*Public Health Nursing.*

Into battle with

THE ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

Over the scarred road the ambulances trek

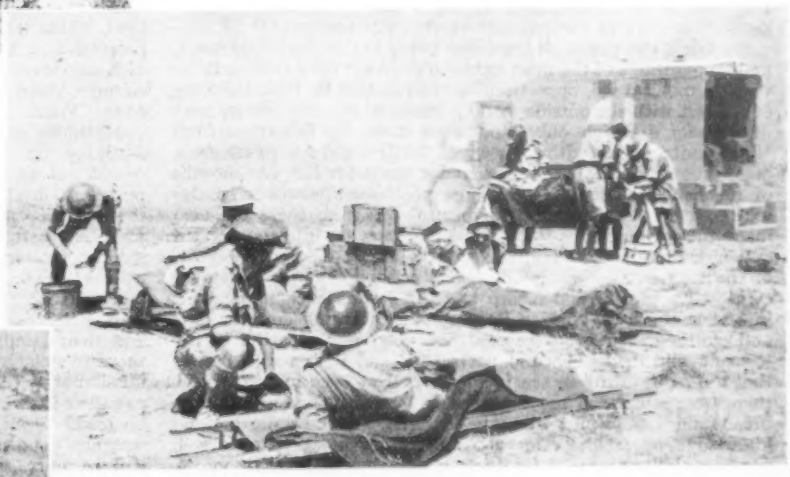
First Aid in the Desert

IN desert warfare, with its sudden raids, its ambushes, its encirclements, the Royal Army Medical Corps is always on active service. Whether in the camp dressing stations, behind the lines or in the thick of the fray, both officers and men are always on the alert, always where they are needed—content to play an unassuming bass to the fighting soldier's treble. 'Their's not to reason why.'

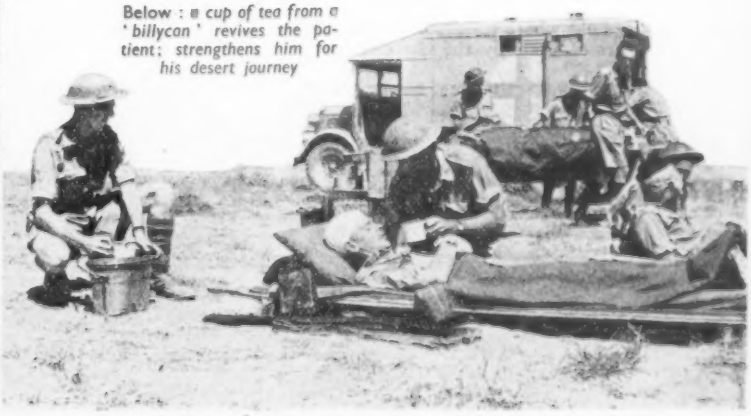
Above : *through the smoke and dust of the battlefield, risking life and limb, the stretcher bearers never falter. Theirs is the hazardous task of collecting the wounded, often in the heat of the battle. On their speed and efficiency under fire many a soldier's life depends*

Right : *at the field dressing station, the lightly wounded rest on stretchers, waiting for the ambulances to take them to the base hospital, safety—and perhaps leave*

Below : *emergency operation. The medical officer and an orderly perform the toilet of the wound on a table*



Below : *a cup of tea from a 'billycan' revives the patient; strengthens him for his desert journey*



FIFTY YEARS OF PIONEERING

The Grenfell Mission Celebrates its Diamond Jubilee

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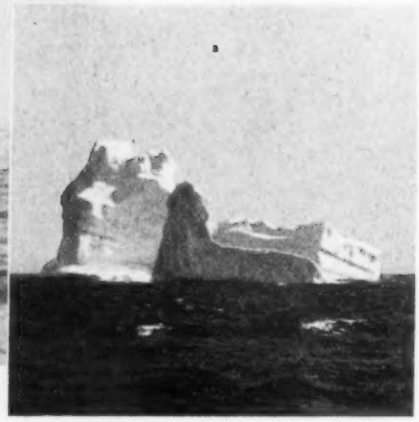

Above: Sir Wilfrid Grenfell on the bow of the 'Strathcona.' Right: icebergs are frequently seen off the Labrador coast

IN days of destruction and apparent retrogression, it is encouraging to think, sometimes, of true progress made during the past half century. Fifty years ago, on August 4, 1892, Dr. Wilfrid Grenfell landed on the coast of Labrador and so began the work of the mission which bears his name.

He found the people of the coast living in tiny, isolated groups, under conditions of the most extreme poverty; they were entirely without medical aid, opportunities of education for their children, or contact with the outside world. Many of the settlements were of summer duration only, and were made by fishermen from Newfoundland who, with their wives, families and few possessions, made homes on the rugged Labrador coast for the few months of the fishing season. Other more permanent homes were also scattered up the coast and further inland; from these the men made their winter trips to the trapping lines, far into the wooded and mountainous country, where they stayed for many months of the long, severe winter, completely isolated until the spring came; then they would return to their homes, exchanging their furs at the nearest Hudson Bay Company's trading post for food and clothing. In good seasons fresh food was plentiful in the form of wild duck, fish and partridges, and in the wild berries that are so beautiful to see in the fall. But even in a good year there were months in the winter when game was scarce, and then bread and tea formed an unvaried diet. The people had no knowledge or facilities for the cultivation of their poor soil, nor any ability to make the most use of their natural resources. Consequently, the standard of health was much lowered, deficiency diseases were prevalent and infections of all kinds gained sure hold where resistance was weakened.

Fifty years of work by the Grenfell Mission has changed life for these people who are, for the most part, descended from the original settlers in our oldest colony of Newfoundland.

The Mission has provided medical assistance by a chain of hospitals and nursing stations, placed at intervals along the coast, and inland where the largest communities are gathered and the need is greatest. Owing to the very sparse population these centres are often widely separated and journeys of 50-100 miles may be necessary to visit the sick or to bring them to hospital. Transport over these great distances is by boat in summer and by dog team and komatik in winter, when the whole countryside lies deeply frozen.

The largest Mission hospital, now beautifully equipped and well staffed, is situated at Saint Anthony, Northern Newfoundland. This hospital is the equal of a good, English provincial hospital and the work carried out there is of correspondingly high standard. Officially the hospital has 85 beds, but during the summer months as many as 200 have been accommodated at once. When the seas are freed from ice, the people take the opportunity of greatly facilitated transport and arrive at St. Anthony by fishing schooner or mail-boat, for treatments, operations and examinations which, unless urgent, they have postponed by reason of difficult winter travel. To contend with this increase of work, volunteer doctors, surgeons and nurses join the permanent hospital staff for the busy months, thus gaining interesting experience themselves and giving valuable help in return. Similar conditions prevail at the smaller hospitals and nursing stations. In summer, too, the Mission's hospital ship, the *Maraval* tours the coast, taking help to the fishermen and their families on the islands off the mainland and visiting those in isolated and far northern districts. The doctors on the Mission staff travel many hundreds of miles at regular intervals to call at each home in their great districts, and they must always be ready to answer any call for help, regardless of distance or weather conditions. Each nursing station is in charge of a trained nurse, who is responsible for the health of the small community among whom she works. She transfers to hospital, or hands over to the doctor on his occasional rounds, any case which it is beyond her ability to treat.

The work of a nurse in the Mission hospital is always interesting

The Labrador Mail Team: there is no communication in winter except by dog-team in this countryside

and varied. I went, in the first place, as a summer volunteer, but when the opportunity arose to stay on through the winter I was delighted to take it. I was stationed at North West River Hospital, the furthest north of the Grenfell Hospitals, and situated about 90 miles inland, on the shores of Lake Melville. We were fortunate here in escaping the cold damp of the coast climate and having instead a winter of fine dry cold. I have never seen anything more beautiful than the frozen lake with the forested and snow-covered mountains behind it. The colours and reflections from the rough ice are vivid beyond imagining. Summer and winter alike, the beauty and tranquillity of the tiny settlement on the shore of the great lake gave a sense of content which was compensation for the many interests of life at home which we missed.

The hospital was very small according to English standards; we had only six beds ordinarily. But sometimes we had more than six patients and had to put extra beds and cots in the two small wards. We were seldom without children among our patients, as North West River has a Mission school and home for the children. At Christmas we had four of the school children and two babies in one of the wards; their pleasure and happiness over our very simple decorations and festivities were evidence of their appreciation.

Although a small hospital, we were kept busy, as the staff consisted only of the English doctor, myself and a local girl who had received some training in hospital work at St. Anthony's. This girl has since gone to Canada to train in hospital and I hear she is doing very well. She was of great value to me and I realized how fortunate I was in having so intelligent and willing a helper. For six weeks, in both summer and winter, the doctor had to leave North West River and go on the rounds of his district. Then we were left alone to deal as best we might with any emergency that arose. The doctor's wife was also a trained nurse and most kind in helping us should we ask her advice or assistance.

Gun-Shot Wound

Our worst case during the doctor's absence was that of a boy with a gun-shot wound of leg. He had been shooting duck and accidently put the shot into his own thigh. He was alone and helpless in a wild part of the country, but was eventually found by his father, who brought him to hospital at 5 a.m. after a long journey by boat. We kept him through the day, giving him treatment for shock and cleaning and dressing his wound as best we could under the circumstances; then in the evening, after an injection of morphia, we made him as comfortable as possible in the Hudson Bay Company's motor boat and sent him in the care of my assistant to Cartwright Hospital—about 100 miles away, for the necessary surgical treatment of excision of devitalized tissue. He made a good recovery, and returned to us later with a well-healed wound and a fine piece of skin grafting.

Although we did not have a great deal of serious illness during my year at the hospital, we had a great variety of cases. Besides surgical and medical cases there were the maternity cases to deal with, and having in mind the strict rules of the Central Midwives' Board, it was disconcerting to find a typhoid fever, an appendix abscess and a midwifery case all requiring nursing at the same time. However, we seemed to escape transmission of these various infections.

The typhoid fever case was the most typical I have ever seen and occurred in one of the school children. There had been no case in North West River for many years, and no other was reported in Labrador that year. Diagnosis was not made until the child had a severe epistaxis following several days of headache, abdominal pain and diarrhoea—with the typical step-ladder rise in temperature. She was immediately isolated in a small separate room in the hospital and around the tenth day had an unmistakable typhoid rash. She was critically ill for some time and the pyrexia lasted for the full three weeks. On Christmas eve she had all the routine disinfection, in so far as we could carry it out with no running water for baths, every drop heated in the kitchen, and many similar difficulties to combat. It added to the pleasure of Christmas Day for the other children that Annie was able to join them in the ward after about two months of strict isolation.

Seen through the trees : an attractive view of the North West River Hospital

In summer, a camp of Indians settled in North West River and used to come to hospital for out-patient treatment; they could seldom be persuaded to stay in the wards and preferred to return to their very ill-kept camp, however ill they might be.

The Northern Lights

There were often times when there was very little illness and then, in the summer, there was the garden to cultivate, vegetables to preserve for winter, and jam to make from the locally grown wild berries; and in winter we used to go for long walks on snow shoes and perhaps light a fire and cook supper in a log "tilt," walking home afterwards with the northern lights flashing in the sky above us.

Although we were so small and isolated a community, there was no sense of loneliness among us. On the Mission staff there were teachers and house-mothers in charge of the school homes and we had friends at the Hudson Bay Company's trading post and at the rangers' quarters. There was no lack of company and the winter, which might have been so long, with no communication other than by dog-team, and mail so seldom that we were once four months with no letters from home, though it was possible to wireless occasional cables, passed as quickly as any winter I have spent, and I shall always remember it as one of the happiest. Nowhere have I worked in surroundings so beautiful or under conditions more congenial.

Besides medical service, the Mission has organized schools for

Drying cod fish : one of the industries of the Labrador coast

The fisherman comes home to his family and dogs

the children and provided homes for those coming from far out-lying districts, where they stay during the school year, returning to their own homes for the summer. The standard of education reached in these schools is high, children are able to take the school leaving examination of Newfoundland, and those showing promise are helped by the Mission to take trainings in such subjects as engineering, teaching and nursing in British, Canadian or American training schools, on the understanding that they return to their own country after training and so benefit their own people. Much of value is also learnt by the children living in the homes during term; they grow to appreciate the comfort of order in the home and to realize the importance of hygiene.

Parts of the country have been found suitable for raising good crops of vegetables, everywhere the Mission has encouraged the people to cultivate plots of ground to grow for themselves the fresh foods that were lacking, with such serious effects to their health, previously. Mission workers have taught the women methods of fruit and vegetable preservation, so that even in winter it is possible for them to have the vital fresh foods. Opportunities of livelihood have also been opened up by the industrial department, which provides the means and teaching for such crafts as rug-making, knitting and ivory carving; the a market is found for the articles and the workers are given clothing and the benefits of medical or other services in exchange. Thus even those physically unfit may be to some extent self-supporting, and all contribute to the comfort of their homes.

All these things have brought to the people of Labrador a new outlook on life, fresh interest, contact with the outside world and great hopes for the future. Now with the rest of the Empire they are taking their part in the world war, and the sense of security, product of freedom from want and anxiety, so recently gained, has been shattered. The defence of the coast has become of vital importance, to the Allied nations' cause; many of the men are serving in the fighting forces. To those who have known life in Labrador of recent years, and the content which was the result of its simplicity, the introduction of industrialism and outside influences of the kind inevitable under present circumstances is disquieting. We can only trust that the work so firmly established during the past half-century may be able to continue, and that the people may recognize this to have been true progress, as opposed to the demand for power and possession which has brought us to present world chaos.

Book Reviews

ESSENTIALS OF MEDICINE.—*By C. P. Emerson, Jr., A.B., M.D. and Jane E. Taylor, R.N., B.S., M. Ed.* (14th edition) (*J. B. Lippincott Company, Aldine House, Bedford Street, London, W.C.2; price 21s.*)

THIS edition has been thoroughly revised and re-edited. In its revision an endeavour has been made to provide nurses with an adequate source of useful facts relating to medicine, and to supply information regarding nursing problems related to the prevention, recognition and treatment of the various medical diseases. Much new matter has been added on the nature and uses of several effects and devices which have recently been introduced for purposes of medical diagnosis and treatment. The sections devoted to nursing have been considerably expanded. Various improvements have been introduced in the discussions concerning actual nursing technique. In many instances the physiological basis for each type of therapy has been supplied.

We must, however, take exception to some of the statements made in this book. Morphine, even in judicious dosage, is not by any means a safe drug in cases of pneumonia. We do not like fever therapy in cases of chorea. No mention is made of the causation of this disease by tape-worms, nor of the use of the salicylates as a remedy. Migraine is regarded as being an allergic manifestation in many cases. No mention is made of refractive errors as a cause. This very correctly states, however, that there is no agent which has been definitely proved to influence the cause of multiple sclerosis.

This is an ideal text-book of medicine for nurses. It is very accurate and comprehensive. The text-matter in this edition has been greatly amplified and improved so that it is even more authentic and up-to-date than before. It has the added advantage that it is easy to read and to assimilate.

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Books in Brief

Listening to the Orchestra
By Kitty Barne. (Dent, 7s. 6d.)
A LIVELY and entertaining introduction to music for the ordinary listener.

Spitfire ! The Experiences of a Fighter Pilot
By Squadron-Leader 'B. J. Ellan.' (John Murray, 5s.)
WITH gallant modesty and a lighthearted manner, this squadron-leader gives a vivid account of many tremendous achievements.

Steady as You Go
By Bartimeus. With a Preface by William McFee. (Collins, 7s. 6d.)
A skilful writer and experienced naval officer brings glorious stories of the sea to an ever welcoming British public; the profits go to naval charities.

OBITUARIES

Miss W. Cleary

We regret to announce the death of Miss W. Cleary, matron of the Bootle Corporation Maternity Home, at Cleveleys, Lancashire—its war-time home. Miss Cleary was trained at Bolton Infirmary and died after a short illness at the early age of 51.

Miss M. A. Imlah

We regret to announce the death, at the age of 25, of Miss Mary Adamson Imlah who only recently had been appointed night superintendent at Forresterhill, Aberdeen. Miss Imlah was formerly sister of the eye department of Aberdeen Royal Infirmary.

Miss C. V. S. Johnson

We regret to announce the death on December 24, 1941, of Miss C. V. S. Johnson, retired sister, Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service. Trained at the Borough Hospital, Bootle, Miss Johnson was appointed staff nurse, Q.A.I.M.N.S., in 1906 and was promoted sister in 1913. She served at home and overseas until her retirement in 1926.

Lady Knox

We regret to announce the death of Lady Knox, widow of Sir James Knox, Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark. A nurse by profession, Lady Knox worked in such different parts of the world as the West Indies, Germany and Dundee. Although shy of prominence, she was a helpful co-operator to her husband and she continued all her life to take a keen interest in nursing. Sir James and Lady Knox became Free Burgesses of the Burgh of Coatbridge in 1936; the first time a woman has held that honour.

Miss K. Peacock

We regret to announce, as a result of enemy action, the death of Miss Kathleen Peacock, S.R.N., S.C.M. Miss Peacock was trained at the East Suffolk and Ipswich Hospital. Latterly she was ward sister and senior night sister at the Royal Cornwall Infirmary, Truro.

Miss F. A. Sheldon

In the sudden death of Miss Frances Ada Sheldon, S.R.N., S.C.M., the nursing profession has lost one of its most active advocates and enthusiastic workers. Miss Sheldon trained at Guy's Hospital, 1900-1903, became a staff nurse and ward sister (1904-1913), and then served as Lady Superintendent, Guy's Trained Nurses Institute, from 1913 to 1922. She was an active early member of the Royal College of Nursing and was registrar to the College from 1922 to 1924. During the last war she served as a member of the selection board of the Joint War Committee, British Red Cross Society: she was elected an honorary serving sister of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem. She supported the London Branch of the College, giving voluntary work at headquarters whenever she was asked to do so, and she always worked for the betterment of conditions in the nursing world.

Miss C. S. Pringle

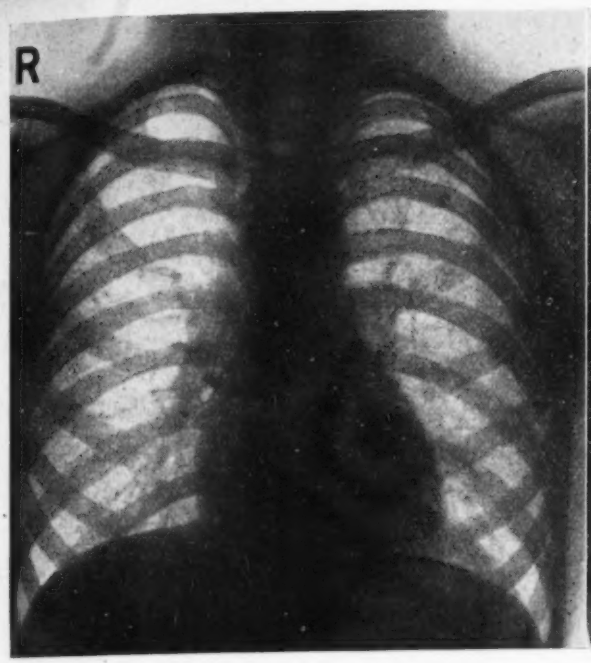
We record with deep regret the death at Iraq on June 12, 1942, of Miss Christina Stuart Pringle, sister, Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Reserve. Miss Pringle received her general training at the Royal Infirmary, Glasgow. She was appointed to Q.A.I.M.N.S. Reserve in 1940 and served at home and in Iraq.

Miss L. E. C. Steen

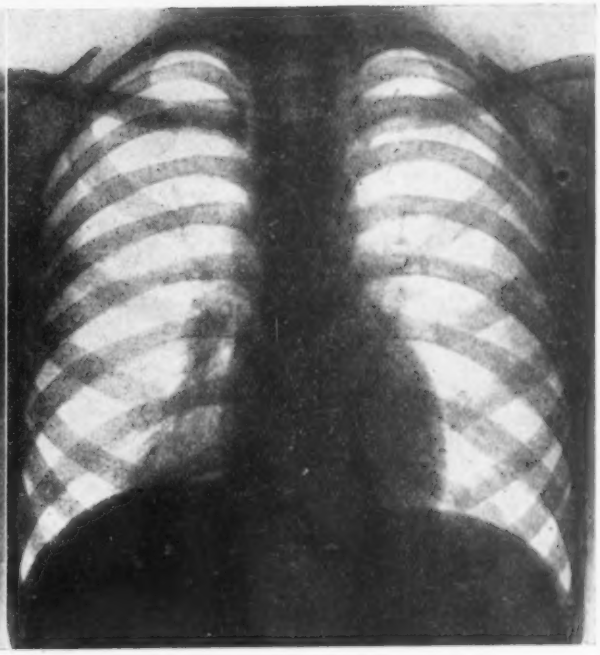
We record with regret the death at Malvern on April 25, 1942, of Miss Lavinia E. C. Steen, retired matron, Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service. Miss Steen served in the Army Nursing Service from 1898, and on the re-organization of the Service was appointed to Q.A.I.M.N.S. with the rank of sister in 1903. She was promoted matron in 1910. During the last war Miss Steen served in France and was awarded the R.R.C. She retired through ill-health in 1922.

Miss R. Appleby

We regret to announce the early death, due to enemy action, of Miss Rachel Appleby, a member of the Student Nurses' Association. Miss Appleby was a senior student nurse of a South-Western hospital.



Before : *the clip is visible, lying in the right bronchus*



After : *the X-ray photograph after removal of the clip*

INTERESTING CASE SERIES
V.—Bronchoscopy

By B. SHEEHY,
Student Nurse, Rochdale Infirmary

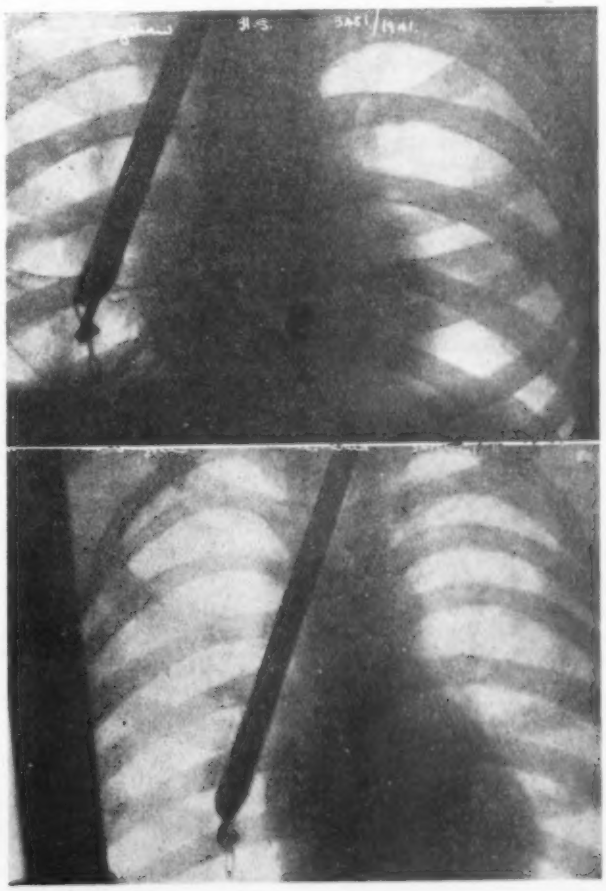
AT 7 p.m. on November 27, 1941, a little boy of eleven years was admitted to the children's ward from the casualty department, where the mother stated, "He swallowed something and I thought I had better bring him up." Prior to admission, the child was X-rayed and the foreign body, which was a clip off a Christmas tree bell, was found to be in the right bronchus.

After taking the history, the child was found to be suffering from chronic bronchitis. At 8 p.m. he was taken to the theatre where the ear, nose and throat specialist, performed a bronchoscopy under a general anaesthetic; the foreign body was seen but not removed. During the night the child slept only for short periods; he vomited several times and perspired freely, but complained of no pain whatsoever. In the morning he had a simple enema with a good result, and his temperature was 99.2° F., pulse rate 132, and respiration rate 20. During the day his face became very flushed, and he tended to lie more on the unaffected side. Fluids were taken freely and retained; there was no pyrexia.

On the following evening, at 6.30 p.m., the child was again taken to the theatre for bronchoscopy, which was this time performed under a basal anaesthetic, Avertin. The portable X-ray unit with the screening outfit was in readiness, and afforded the greatest assistance. This time the surgeon not only saw the foreign body but he actually gripped it with the forceps; when unfortunately it slipped. After persevering for forty minutes the search had to be abandoned but as I left the theatre I heard the surgeon say to his assistant, "It is within reach."

On returning to the ward, the patient was propped up on three or four pillows and for two hours was given oxygen through a B.L.B. mask. Rectal salines were given at four-hourly intervals for the next 24 hours, during which time the child was very ill, but there was still no pyrexia. Gradually, this condition improved and soon fluids and very light diet were tolerated. For the third time bronchoscopy was performed, again under basal anaesthesia. This time the attempt was successful and the clip was removed with crocodile forceps in two parts.

In the ward, Fowler's position was adopted as soon as possible. Fluids were given freely and one tablet of M. & B. 693 was given four-hourly for the next 48 hours. No complication interrupted his recovery, and in seven days he was discharged.



Right : *the removal of the clip with crocodile forceps*

Prize-Giving at Whiston

At the annual prize-giving of the Whiston County Hospital, Alderman W. J. Lucas congratulated the nurses on the manner in which they had performed their duties. Prizewinners: Gold medal, Miss R. Winstanley; Silver medal, Miss K. Dunleavy; Medical Superintendent's prize (senior nurse), Miss R. Winstanley; Matron's prize, Miss J. M. Wignall; Sister Tutor's prize, Miss M. Wild; Medical Superintendent's prize (junior nurse), Miss H. A. Taylor; Matron's prize (junior nurse), Miss N. Kelly

About Ourselves

Awards at Southport

The afternoon of July 30 was a happy one for the staff of the Southport Emergency Hospital. Miss Mary Jones, O.B.E., A.R.R.C., M.A., presented stripes and stars to 50 members of the Civil Nursing Reserve. She was supported by Miss Lowe, the matron, Miss Ashford, the North West regional nursing officer and Miss Flemming, the local nursing organiser. The chairman and members of the Hospital Committee, the medical superintendent and members of the emergency medical staff were also present.

Miss Jones told the audience how sincerely the efforts of the nursing staff were appreciated, and she encouraged members of the Civil Nursing Reserve to wear their awards. She felt that in so doing, there would be manifestation of duty well done—even though the service was a 'silent' one. Francis Weld Esq., J.P., chairman of the committee, thanked Miss Jones for her inspiring words and for her perpetual interest in the nursing staff and in the welfare of the hospital.

Royal Visit to Purley

Princess Helena Victoria, G.B.E., the Patron of Purley War Memorial Hospital, visited the hospital and its recently completed new buildings recently. Sir George Broadbridge, Bart., K.C.V.O., M.P., the president, received Her Highness and recalled the fact that the Princess's mother, H. R. H. Princess Christian laid the Foundation-Stone of the Hospital 33 years ago. The sum of £23,000 had been received towards the appeal for £45,000 for the extension. The Princess, accompanied by the matron, Miss E. M. Andrews, and members of the board of management, visited the out-patients' department, now in use as a first aid post, and various wards and spoke to some of the patients. Tea was served before Her Highness took her departure after expressing her satisfaction with all she had seen.

Prize-Giving at Bolton

Mrs. Bradley, former sister tutor, presented the prizes at the annual prize-giving of the Bolton Royal Infirmary held on July 25, at which the matron, Miss M. Farrer, stated that the hospital had had 100 per cent. passes for the year in the final State examinations.

The prize-winners were:—*Gold medallist.*—Miss McGahern. *Silver medallist.*—Miss Livingstone. *Junior hospital prize.*—Miss Beharrell; Miss Slaney. *Medicine prize.*—Miss Shanley; Miss Foster. *Surgery prize.*—Miss Beharrell; Miss Tootle. *Anatomy and physiology prize.*—Miss Geany; Miss Slaney; Miss Gauger. *Gynaecology prize.*—Miss Beharrell. *E.N.T. prize.*—Miss Beharrell *Ophthalmic nursing prize.*—Miss McGregor. *Dermatology prize.*—Miss Crook. *Orthopaedic prize.*—Miss Beharrell; Miss Shanley. *Hygiene and nursing prize.*—Miss Slaney. *Matron's prize.*—(senior) Miss Keegan; Miss Haughian; (junior) Miss Scard.

At the County Hospital, Dartford

The annual reunion and distribution of medals, certificates and prizes was held at the County Hospital, Dartford, recently. Dr. T. S. Cochrane, medical superintendent, opened the proceedings by thanking the members of the committee and other friends for attending the function and for the encouragement they gave to the staff. He congratulated the nurses on the recent examination results which were a 95 per cent. success. The Rev. Stanley Morgan, the chairman, also congratulated the nurses and the sister tutor, and then proceeded to present the awards, assisted by Mrs. E. C. Botten, chairman of the hospital committee.

Mr. W. S. Pearce proposed a vote of thanks to Dr. Cochrane and the Rev. S. Morgan, and said how he hoped everyone would generously support the side-shows, etcetera, as the proceeds were in aid of the Air Raid Distress Fund. Mrs. Botten seconded the vote of thanks and paid tribute to the sister tutor's strenuous labours.

The side-shows proved very attractive and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone. Several members of the staff gave vocal items during the course of the evening. The local members of the British Red Cross Society greatly assisted the hospital's effort by their mile of pennies. The function concluded with a dance in the nurses' home. The sum of £20 was raised for the Air Raid Distress Fund.

The following awards were made:—

Gold medal.—Miss M. L. Gardner. *Silver medal.*—Miss E. L. M. Blackwell. *Bronze medal* and *Dr. Cochrane's prize for merit.*—Miss E. M. E. Tippins. *Bronze medal* and *Matron's prize for proficiency in general nursing.*—Miss J. A. Wicken. *Bronze medal.*—Miss H. C. Pierce; Miss M. Phelan. *Prizes for student nurses' exhibition work.*—Misses Twyman, Adlington, Nowell, Koppe, Elkins, Ladoo and Harding.

For North London's Sick

Doctor L. Hayden Guest presided at the annual general meeting of the North London (Islington) District Nursing Association held in the nurses' sitting room at 6/7, Canonbury Place, worthy of a special note because of its Elizabethan ceiling, dated 1599, in perfect condition. Reporting on the financial position, the treasurer said that it was not only worse than before the war but worse than last year, and he had been afraid that they might have to close down. Most of the patients left in London were the old, chronic sick; their average payment was sixpence a visit, for unlike children and maternity cases, they were often not subsidized by public or other authorities; each visit cost the association 2s. Doctor Freeman said that the borough council recognized this cost for they paid for their cases at the rate of 2s., instead of 1s. 3d. The Government's general policy was not to take control of medical and nursing organizations by suppression of voluntary agencies, but to collaborate, said Dr. Guest. He hoped that the committee would in future collaborate with borough or council representatives, adding that the reason for the efficiency of the British medical services was the complete co-operation between doctors and nurses.

Miss I. H. Charley, S.R.N., superintendent of the Central Bureau for Insurance Nursing, as a member of the Council of the Royal College of Nursing, congratulated Miss Lee, the superintendent and the nurses not only on their work done in all weathers and with great gallantry during the blitz, but for making history. A scheme had been begun by Miss Lee and the committee by which trained nurses worked for the Association for 18 months; in return it paid for their six months' health visitor's course. On completion the nurses came back until they took up a post. In the past Miss Charley said district nursing and health visiting had been separated, which was a great mistake, for both services should co-operate in the cultivation of health. Mr. Walker, D.L., J.P., L.C.C., said that this arrangement benefited the Association, for it brought fresh blood, and kept up the standard of work.

A home nursing service was another scheme recently introduced; the worker paid a penny a week to the factory, which covered any nursing he or his family might need, and the factory paid the nursing association. Miss Charley said that during the war there was often no one at home to nurse a sick member of the family; this was, therefore, a great step forward.

A Hospital Recovered

The Lockyer Hospital, Plymouth, formerly called the Central Hospital and now amalgamated with the Prince of Wales's Hospital, is open again after a year's recuperation from war damage. Miss I. M. Ratcliff who was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Huddersfield, is the matron and sister tutor. Two of her nurses through their courage and devotion to bravery saved the building from total destruction. The Lady Mayoress when she opened the hospital recently said she hoped that all would do their best to support the hospital, which at present is only open for in-patients.

At the North Riding Infirmary

Sir Francis Samuelson, Bt., president of the North Riding Infirmary, Middlesbrough, presented the prizes, certificates and hospital badges at the hospital recently; the last award is a new innovation. Prizewinners:—*Honorary medical staff prize.*—Miss F. Sowden. *Matron's prize.*—Miss M. Smith. *Sister tutor's prize for junior nursing and hygiene.*—Miss Richardson.

Correspondence

Shortage of Sanatoria Staff

I think one of the chief causes of the shortage of staff in sanatoria is often the lack of transport to the nearest town, which may be ten or fourteen miles away.

Most county sanatoria are tucked away in the country miles from anywhere, with probably at least half an hour's walk to the bus or train. In these days, too, there are many more people living in the country and the workers from local factories fill up the buses before the hospital staff ever has the chance of a seat. In bad wintry weather county sanatoria are snowed up and the staff is isolated for a week or a month at a time. Unless a nurse has been bred and born in the country, she does not take kindly to these conditions. Even cows and green fields become very monotonous after a while!

S.R.N., 33876.

Professional Democracy

Much space has been devoted to the question of the employment of men as tutors for student nurses, but may I suggest that the only valid objection to any teacher is inability to teach?

Our cloistered upbringing may have limited our ideas, many of which are obviously moulded by prejudice and custom. May I, therefore, appeal to my colleagues to look forward with reasoned arguments to answer the only relevant question: "Can the male tutor impart the necessary enthusiasm and information to the students in training?"

Surely we, who crave tolerance for women in all spheres of work, should extend that charitable outlook in the one field of work where women predominate? We must do so if we are to justify our existence as a professional body in the democratic world for which we are fighting—both women and men together.

"FEMALE TUTOR," S.R.N., S.C.M.

Propaganda for Cleanliness

The shortage of domestic staff in many hospitals is causing so much anxiety, that I wonder whether we could bring to the notice of women the value and importance of this work, by showing a propaganda film, stressing the need for cleanliness in hospitals and the useful work that could be done in a domestic capacity. Many women, perhaps, do not realize how much more nursing attention can be given to patients when nurses are relieved of such responsibilities as cleaning and washing up.

I believe that if this side of hospital work was given more publicity, this aspect of the situation would appeal particularly to those who have either always wished to be nurses, or who have had to care for sick relatives in their own homes.

A nurse must be free of that extra work which the shortage of domestic help involves, and I appeal through the courtesy of your paper that my suggestion be supported and recommended to the appropriate authorities.

M. M. HACKWORTHY, Matron
Tindal House Emergency Hospital.

Half Truths of Nursing

Unfortunately, the majority of readers of Miss Monica Dicken's book, 'One Pair of Feet,' will be members of the lay public. It is clever, witty and well written. It also contains many half truths which are infinitely harder to refute than downright lies.

The incompetence, slackness and general inefficiency which, according to Miss Dickens, existed in the hospital "honoured" by her as a training school seem to call for vigorous action on the part of the General Nursing Council. If these statements be true, Miss Dickens should be made to prove them, and the school itself should be immediately struck off the list of approved training centres. If they are an exaggeration on the part of Miss Dickens, this fact should also be made known and the book itself be labelled one of fiction.

If Miss Dickens sincerely has the well being of our hospitals at heart, I would suggest that she communicates with the Lord Horder Reconstruction Committee on Nursing, which I feel sure, would very much like to have first-hand knowledge of the type of training school she depicts.

S.R.N., R.M.N.

We have received a letter from Miss Brandreth of Goodwill Holiday Parties, stating that a number of nurses have spent their holidays at Mere Bank, Ambleside. Miss Oldmeadow, hostess, is still especially reserving a few rooms for nurses, but she will not be able to do so much longer. Nurses should, therefore, book at once. Mere Bank remains open until October.

Correction

We regret that, in our issue of August 8, we implied that Miss Helen W. Thorneley had nursed in Malta. While a member of Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service, she nursed the Royal Air Force in England.

IN PARLIAMENT

In the House of Commons recently Major Milner asked the Secretary of State for War whether he is aware of the indignation caused by the proposed transfer of Voluntary Aid Detachment nurses to the Auxiliary Territorial Service, involving scrapping of uniforms and the transfer of trained girls who volunteered before the war from a service where they were working happily and well to another service; and on what grounds was the change being proposed.

Mr. Fleming also asked whether the War Office proposal to transfer Voluntary Aid Detachment nurses, serving with Army units, to the Auxiliary Territorial Service had been voluntarily accepted or otherwise.

Sir J. Grigg said he received last week a deputation representing the British Red Cross Society and the Order of St. John of Jerusalem. As a result he was proposing to invite these organizations to appoint representatives to a committee to be set up under an independent chairman. The detailed arrangements were now in hand.

Major Milner asked if any decision has yet been taken as to this transfer?

Sir J. Grigg said that no final decision had been arrived at. He had made that clear throughout. Replying further, he said that when the report of the committees had been received he would make a statement on it to the House for action if necessary.

Mr. Craven-Ellis: 'Is the Minister aware of the great public indignation about this suggested transfer?'

Sir J. Grigg: 'I have had a good deal of correspondence on the matter and I am fully aware of the feelings upon it, which are not uniformly in one direction.'

Crossword Puzzle No. 546

Prizes will be awarded to the senders of the two correct solutions first opened on August 19; first prize, 10s. 6d.; second prize, a book.

SOLUTIONS must reach this office not later than the *first* post on Wednesday, August 19, addressed to 'Crossword Puzzle No. 546,' *Nursing Times*, Macmillan and Co., Ltd., St. Martin's Street, W.C.2. Write name and address in *block capitals* in the space provided. Enclose no other communication with your entry. Postage 1d., in unsealed envelope. The Editor cannot enter into correspondence concerning this competition and her decision is final and legally binding.

Clues Across

1. More of this type of nurse is needed.
5. Basins for ships.
8. Pertaining to the highest hereditary rank in the peerage.
9. Payment for insurance.
10. English forest trees.
11. Falling down
13. Slope.
14. Corner.
19. Nourishing.
21. Walk.
23. Outcry.
24. Very pale.
25. War on a city.
26. Troops called up in war-time.

Solution to Puzzle No. 545

Across.—7, Peanut. 8, Addict. 9, Add. 10, Smith. 11, Arm. 14, Person. 15, Mallet. 16, Stream. 19, Period. 21, Fit. 22, Freak. 23, Kin. 26, Hernia. 27, Erotic.

Down.—1, Meddle. 2, And. 3, Stamen. 4, Bantam. 5, Odd. 6, Scarce. 12, Asset. 13, Alarm. 17, Toilet. 18, Mortal. 19, Planet. 20, Otitis. 24, End. 25, Hot.

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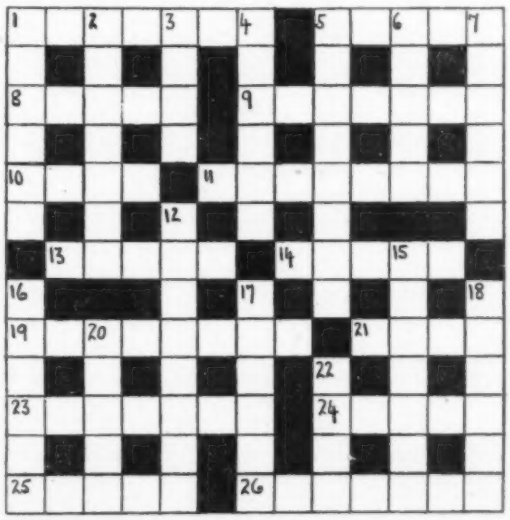

Clues Down

1. A more insane colour.
2. Tenth part.
3. Lazy.
4. Skilled.
5. House.
6. Curl.
7. Insincere smile.
12. Agent to counteract poison.
15. Dressed skin of an animal.
16. Small meals.
17. An unpopular sleeper.
18. Position for striking.
20. Worry.
22. Fishy voice.

Prize-Winners

We have much pleasure in awarding a prize of 10s. 6d. to:—

Miss D. J. Berry,
Aylesbury.

and a book prize to:—

Mrs. M. R. White,
Peel Green, Nr. Manchester.

Their solutions to Puzzle No. 544 were respectively the first and second correct ones opened on August 1.

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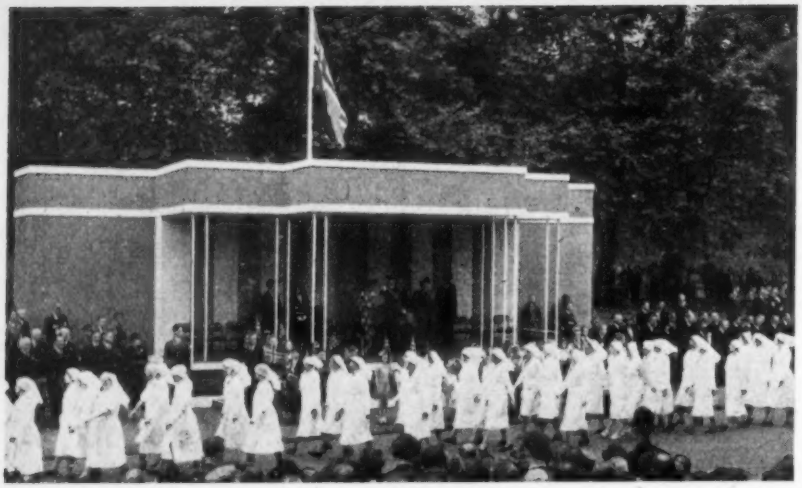

News in Brief

King Haakon's seventieth birthday: Norwegian Red Cross nurses march past the dais in Hyde Park

New St. John Chief

THE new Lady Superintendent of the St. John Ambulance Brigade Nursing Divisions, is the Lady Louis Mountbatten.

More Tube Shelterers

SINCE the recent alerts, the number of people using the tube shelters has increased from 2,000 persons per night to 14,000.

Appointments for Out-Patients

GUY'S Hospital has introduced a system of appointments for out-patients, whereby waiting for medical inspection is reduced to the minimum.

Petrol Allowances for Nurses

AT a meeting of the Devon Public Health Committee, Colonel Ward, chairman of Hawkmoor Sub-Committee, put forward an appeal for a petrol allowance for the nurses of Hawkmoor Sanatorium to be used for recreational purposes. Often the nurses could not get on the few buses.

£50 For Ambulance

STUDENT nurses of the Taunton and Somerset Hospital sent £50 to the Student Nurses' Air Ambulance Fund as a result of a recent dance.

American Medical Laboratory

THE American Army authorities have taken over the Harvard Field Hospital Unit which came to England in 1940. It is to be their central medical laboratory.

Tribute to King Haakon

THE procession in honour of King Haakon's seventieth birthday included Norwegian nurses of the Red Cross and medical corps, who marched alongside the fighting forces.

Preferences for Nursing

AT a meeting of the East Suffolk Education Committee, the Youth Sub-Committee reported that, among the girls registering in the youth registration group, there had been a marked preference to take up nursing.

Acute Shortage of Nurses

UNLESS more staff is forthcoming part of the Chester-le-Street Isolation Hospital must perforce close down.

From Scotland

A District Nurse in Every District

SPEAKING at the annual meeting of the Perth and Kinross County District Nursing Association, the Hon. Mrs. Stirling of Keir stated that the Association had a district nurse in every district.

On Smallpox

IN the last weekly return of infectious diseases, the Glasgow Public Health Department reports that 14 cases of smallpox are still in hospital; several patients have been discharged. Eight patients have died. A new case has been reported this week.

Scotland's Increased Accommodation

UNDER the Emergency Medical Service, the number of hospital beds in Scotland is now 20,527. Allowing for a better standard of spacing, Scotland should have, after the war, 13,000 new beds as compared with the pre-war deficiency of 3,600.

Scottish State Results

THE results of Scottish State examinations for May were:—*Preliminary.*—Anatomy and physiology, 459; hygiene and dietetics, 511; nursing (Part I), 366. *Final.*—General nurses, 266; fever, 128; sick children's 17; mental, 37; mental defectives', 8; male, 1.

SOME RECENT APPOINTMENTS

DAVIES, Miss G., S.R.N., S.C.M., school nurse and health visitor, Stretford.

Trained at Oldham Royal Infirmary and the Jessop Hospital for Women, Sheffield. Health Visitor's Certificate of the Royal Sanitary Institute. Health visiting experience at Chadderton and Manchester. Member, Royal College of Nursing.

DUCKWORTH, Miss E., S.R.N., S.C.M., resident matron, St. Alban's Place Day Nursery, Blackburn.

Trained at Blackburn and East Lancs. Royal Infirmary and Westmorland Sanatorium, Grange-over-Sands, Lancs. Tuberculosis Association certificate, housekeeping certificate, from Royal Inf., Oldham. Ward sister and night sister, City of Salford Sanatorium, Marple, Cheshire.

LAVELLE, Miss L., S.R.N., S.C.M., health visitor, Dorset.

Trained at High Wycombe and District War Memorial Hospital and the Royal Berkshire Hosp., Reading. Queen's nurse. Health visitor and school nurse, Hampshire County Council.

SALKELD, Miss M., S.R.N., health visitor, Ealing.

Trained at Bolton Royal Infirmary, Plaistow Maternity Hosp. and Battersea Polytechnic. Public health sister, Malayan Nursing Service.

SMITH, Miss M., S.R.N., S.C.M., health visitor and school nurse, Hendon, N.W.4.

Trained at East Dorset Hosp., Poole, Elsie Inglis Hosp., Edinburgh. Health Visitor's Certificate, Royal Sanitary Institute. Staff nurse, Hosp. for Women, Soho Square, W. 1. Staff nurse and ward sister, Manor House Hosp., Golders Green, N.W.11. Theatre sister, The Royal Bucks Hosp., Aylesbury. Medical ward sister, Redhill County Hosp. Temporary health visitor, Westminster Health Society S.W.1.

THOM, Miss B., S.R.N., S.C.M., tuberculosis health visitor, Metropolitan Borough of Lambeth.

Trained at Dulwich Hospital, St. Leonard's Hosp., Shoreditch, and Brompton Hosp. (Tuberculosis Certificate). Health Visitor's Certificate. Staff midwife and deputy sister, Dulwich Hosp. Sister, Welwyn Garden City Maternity Hosp. School nursing sister, London County Council. Health visitor, North Brixton Infant Welfare Centre.

Two Presentations

At a gathering in the nurses' home of the Warren Road Hospital, Guildford, Lady Henriques, on behalf of the committee and staff, presented Mrs. R. R. Guy with a silver-plated tea service and salver. Mrs. Guy is relinguishing her post as matron on account of ill health.

THE many friends and ex-patients of Miss E. Walker, matron of the Madoc Memorial Hospital, Portmadoc, contributed towards the cheque of £150 presented to her recently to commemorate the completion of twenty-one years of service. The honorary treasurer, Mr. W. G. Williams, said, in making the presentation, both the staff and patients hoped that she would stay with them another 21 years!

Coming Events

Trained Staff for War-Time Nurseries.—A two weeks' refresher course for nurses eligible for posts as matrons and sisters in war-time nurseries in the Midland region has been arranged in Birmingham to commence on August 31. (See *Nursing Times*, August 1, p. 511.)

A similar course is to be given in September by the National Society of Children's Nurseries in Glasgow under the auspices of the Department of Health for Scotland, the City Welfare Authorities and the Royal College of Nursing, application for this course should be made to Miss Udell, Royal College of Nursing, 40, Melville Street, Edinburgh.

Another course will be given in London in October, application to be made to the Director in the Education Department, Royal College of Nursing, 1a, Henrietta Place, London, W.1.

Nursery Nurse Students.—Courses of lectures have been arranged for students eligible to sit for the examinations set by the National Society of Children's Nurseries for the Nursery Nurses Diploma. These courses are given at the Battersea Polytechnic and also at Stormont House, 75, Downs Park Road, E.5, under the auspices of the London County Council. Full details from:—Miss Brinton, Battersea Polytechnic, S.W.11; or:—Miss Arkle, Principal of Glyn Road, L.C.C. Institute, Homerton High Street, E.9.

Children Under Five.—Morley College has arranged for a special course of lectures for all interested in the care of young children, to be held on Fridays at 6.30 p.m., beginning September 18. Full details may be had from the Secretary, Morley College, 61, Westminster Bridge Road, S.E.1.

Royal College of Nursing News

Membership forms may be obtained from the Secretary, Royal College of Nursing 1a, Henrietta Place, Cavendish Square, W.1, or from local branch secretaries

Education Department : *Provisional list of lectures, session 1942-43*

Opening dates and times should be verified before attendance. Information in connection with these lectures will be published in the "Nursing Times."

Subject	*Approximate Number of Lectures and Opening Dates*	*Lecturer*	Fees for the Course	
			College Members	*Non-Members*
*Anatomy	(20) Mon., Sept. 28 (noon)	Miss G. Barry, M.S., F.R.C.S.	£2	£3
*Bacteriology	(10) Thurs., Oct. 1 (4 p.m.)	S. Roodhouse Gloyne, M.D., Ch. B. ...	£1	£1 10s.
*Hygiene	(12) Thurs., Oct. 1 (2.30 p.m.)	Lt. Col. G. S. Parkinson, D.S.O., D.P.H. ...	£1 4s.	£1 16s.
Infant and Child Hygiene	(10) Tues., Sept. 29 (9 a.m.)	Miss H. Davies, M.D., D.P.H.	£1	£1 10s.
*General Psychology ...	(20) Mon., Sept. 28 (2 p.m.)	Mrs. Mackenzie, M.A. (Oxon)	£2	£3
Social Conditions ...	(10) Tues., Oct. 6 (11 a.m.)	Mrs. Reid, M.A. (Cantab)	£1	£1 10s.
Venereal Diseases ...	(3) Fri., Oct. 16 (2.15 p.m.)	Col. Harrison, D.S.O., M.D., Ch.B., F.R.C.P. D.P.H.	6s.	9s.
*Educational Psychology	(15) Mon., Jan. 25 (3.15 p.m.)	Mrs. Mackenzie, M.A. (Oxon)	£2 5s.	£3 10s.

Fees are payable in advance and are not returnable. Single lectures may be attended for a fee of 2s. 6d. for College members and 4s. for non-members.

*** Diploma in Nursing, University of London.**—These lectures cover the syllabus of Part A and certain subjects of Part B of this examination.

Postal tuition in the following subjects has been arranged to assist students working in the provinces with their private study :—

	Lessons	*Fee*
Industrial Nursing for general trained nurses already employed in industry		
College members ...	32	£5 10 0
Non-members ...		£6 11 0
Anatomy and Histology	12	£1 18 6
Physiology	12	£1 18 6
Anatomy, Histology and Physiology (Combined Course) ...	12	£3 7 0
History of Nursing ...	12	£1 18 6
Elementary Chemistry and Physics	20	£3 0 0
Psychology	16	£3 15 0
Hygiene	10	£1 13 0
Bacteriology	6	£1 2 0
Educational Psychology	12	£1 18 6

For non-members an additional 10s. 6d. is charged for each course, with the exception of the industrial nursing course.

Health Visitors.—The Royal College of Nursing is approved by the Ministry of Health for the training of health visitors. The courses, of six months' duration, begin in September and January.

Industrial Nursing.—Courses of instruction are arranged, for which bursaries are available to members.

Sister-Tutors.—A whole-time year's course and a part-time two years' course are arranged. Scholarships are offered by the Royal College of Nursing to enable members to enter for this special course of study.

Central Midwives Board Examination for Midwife Teachers, 1943.—A special course of study is arranged by the Royal College of Nursing and the College of Midwives to meet the needs of students preparing for this examination.

Further particulars from the Director in the Education Department.

Sister Tutor and Public Health Sections

A combined Sister Tutor Section and Public Health Section informal luncheon has been arranged for Saturday, September 5, at 1 p.m. Speaker : Miss D. M. Percy, of the Canadian Unit in England. Please book your tickets by Monday, August 31. For full details see *Nursing Times*, August 8, p. 528.

Public Health Section within the Harrogate Branch.—The Section held a very enjoyable meeting in the grounds of the District Nurses' Home on July 31. Two important papers were discussed—the first dealing with breast feeding and nutrition as a whole, and the grading of the duties of the health visitor and school nurse; the second concerning the position of public health nurses with regard to the National Health Insurance scheme and the question of including the infant, child and adolescent under one Ministry which would be responsible for the health of the child. The Section also held a happy social gathering in the form of a 'theatre party' on July 28; the members met for supper by kind invitation of Miss Montgomery before proceeding to the Grand Opera House.

Public Health Section within the Manchester and East Lancs. Branch.—An American Garden Tea will be held from 3 to 5 p.m. on Saturday, August 29, at Norton House, Egerton Road, Fallowfield, Manchester, 14 (by kind invitation of Miss Calder). College members and friends are cordially invited. Tea at 3.30 p.m. onwards. Competitions, games, and so forth. A stall will be provided for the sale of gifts. Please bring a gift and buy one. Proceeds are to buy a rubber dinghy for the R.A.F. and for Public Health Section funds.

Branch Reports

Burnley and District Branch.—The next meeting of the branch will be held at the Victoria Hospital, Burnley on Wednesday, August 19, a 7.30 p.m. Please note change of date. Mrs. H. Ogden, member of the Beveridge Committee, at present dealing with National Social Insurance will speak on 'The social security of the post war nurse.' This question is of great importance to nurses and it is hoped that members will make a special effort to attend. Mrs. Ogden will be prepared to discuss any point raised on either National Health or Unemployment Insurance as it concerns the nurse.

Exeter Branch.—There was a meeting of the branch at the Royal Devon and Exeter Hospital on July 28. Miss Adams, Western Area Organiser, spoke on the annual general meetings of the Royal College of Nursing and an interesting discussion followed.

Isle of Wight Branch.—A meeting of the branch was held at Ventnor on July 18. Through the good offices of Miss Burgess, R.R.C., and Miss Hawes, Commander and Mrs. Preston invited us to their residence at The Grove, where the beautiful grounds overlooking the sea were very much admired. Tea and a social hour followed the usual business. The next meeting will be held on Saturday, August 15, at Nubia House, Cowes, by kind invitation of Lady Baring. J.P (our president) and the speaker will be Dr. G. M. Balfour.

Worcestershire Branch.—Miss I. H. Charley will speak on "Industrial Nursing" at 3.30 p.m. on Saturday, August 22, at the Nursing Institute, Worcester.

TO BRANCH SECRETARIES

Branch reports should reach the Nursing Times office by Monday morning, first post.

Midwife Teacher's Certificate

The following midwives attended the course of instruction at the Royal College of Nursing in conjunction with the College of Midwives and were successful in Part I of the recent Midwife Teacher's Certificate examination, conducted by the Central Midwives Board :—Basterfield, H. E.; Beere, I.; Biglands, M.; Burridge, E. E.; Carpenter, M. I.; Cormack, F. C.; Fish, W. N.; Harrison, E. M.; Haynes, H. E. M.; Howes, E. F.; Kelly, N. K.; Lloyd, G.; MacKinnon, C. F.; Major, E. M.; Narroway, E. E.; Pointer, M. I.; Robertson, M. A. B.; Rock, D. M.; Rosenbach, J. E. H.; Spear, A. P.; Taylor, A. E.; Traub, G.

Nation's Fund for Nurses

We have a pleasing list of monthly donations this week. What should we do without these very faithful contributors to the welfare of our sick and old nurses ? We don't like to think of our totals without them; but we would like to see a few more added. Are there any other hospitals which could send us a few shillings each month ? It would be greatly appreciated, so please consider it.

Donations for Week Ending August 8

	£	s.	d.
Miss M. J. Staff		2	6
Nursing Staff, Royal Lancaster Infirmary (monthly donation)		13	5
Staff of Manchester Royal Infirmary (monthly donation)	1	0	0
Matron and Nursing Staff, General Hospital, Ramsgate (monthly donation)		8	0
Matron and Nursing Staff, Royal Berkshire Hospital (monthly donation)		10	0
Nursing Staff, Taunton and Somerset Hospital	2	0	0
Miss G. Harrison		2	6
"D.E.W."	5	0	0
Miss W.		10	0
"F.G.S." (for a nurse's holiday)	2	0	0
"S.R.N. Devon" (monthly donation)		1	0
College Member, No. 23104		3	0
	£12	10	5
Total to date	£6,423	13	2

We are grateful to Miss Pearson, Miss K. Slater, Miss G. E. Callard, Miss M. Thorburn; Messrs. E. T. Heron & Co. and the *Nursing Times* for welcome *tinfoil*; and to Miss Slater for *coins*; and Miss Callard and Miss Thorburn for *stamps*.

M. H. HENDERSON, SECRETARY, Nurses' Appeal Committee, *Nursing Times*, c.o. The Royal College of Nursing, 1a, Henrietta Place, Cavendish Square, W.1.

Joint Nursing and Midwives' Council for Northern Ireland

A meeting of the Joint Nursing and Midwives' Council for Northern Ireland was held at the Council Office, 120, Great Victoria Street, Belfast, on June 2, 1942, the following members being present :—Dr. J. M. McCloy (in the chair); Miss Musson, Miss Beaton, Miss Early, Miss Gawley and Miss Sparkes. The chairman made reference to the death of Sir Edward Coey Bigger and it was agreed that a letter of sympathy on the death of their chairman, should be forwarded to the General Nursing Council and the Central Midwives Board (Eire). Miss J. M. E. Gemmell, sister tutor of Belfast City Hospital, was unanimously co-opted a member to fill the vacancy on the Council.

The examiners' report on the recent preliminary examination was submitted by the Examination Committee and showed that, of the 28 candidates who entered for the entire examination, 17 had passed and 11 failed; of the 38 candidates who entered for the first part of the examination, 30 had passed and eight failed; of the 32 candidates who entered for the second part of the examination, 28 had passed and four failed. The following successful candidates completed the examination or took it in its entirety :—

Belfast City Hospital.—A. Bell; E. M. Fenton; C. E. Forbes; M. A. Gamble; A. V. McAllister; A. A. C. Moorehead; M. C. Reynolds. **Royal Victoria Hospital, Belfast.**—I. G. Baxter; E. M. H. Blakely; D. J. Cameron; S. N. Carse; J. C. Huey; R. M. Joynt; W. Kyle; A. M. Macartney; N. P. Mahood; I. S. Martin; A. J. Medd; M. I. McElhinney; J. K. McKenzie; M. N. Orr; D. I. Payne; A. E. Stewart; M. Stewart; M. H. Strange; E. Stuart. **Mater Infirmorum Hospital, Belfast.**—M. Conlon; M. E. Donlon; E. Magorrian; M. G. Muldoon. **City and County Hospital, Londonderry.**—A. K. Brennan; M. Charters; F. E. Coulter; R. W. Munro. **Down County Infirmary, Downpatrick.**—S. E. Spiers. **Lurgan and Portadown District Hospital.**—B. J. Campbell; S. Hurrell; J. E. McGrain. **Ards District Hospital.**—M. L. Geddis; E. M. Kelly. **Belfast Hospital for Sick Children.**—M. E. Lamont. **Ulster Hospital, Belfast.**—J. Adrian; I. M. Lecky. **Purdysburn Fever Hospital, Belfast.**—F. E. Bownes; F. J. Buchanan; E. Hunt; A. Pyper.

The examiners' report on the final examination for the general part of the Register was also submitted, and showed that of the 62 candidates who entered for the examination, 42 had passed and 20 failed. The successful candidates were :—

Belfast City Hospital.—R. I. Bell; M. A. P. Cunningham; E. F. Derby; I. Edwards; M. Gault; M. E. Harris; M. H. Kane; M. B. Lavery; L. M. McAuley; M. J. McCormick; J. E. McCullen; M. M. McGimpsey; M. E. McNally; K. J. Maxwell; J. Morrow; A. B. O'Neill; E. J. Perry; N. J. Simpson; E. H. Wilson; M. I. Wilson. **Royal Victoria Hospital, Belfast.**—M. E. Elliott; M. H. Gamble; M. Gilanders; S. E. Hutchinson; J. M. Kane; O. E. Rogers; A. B. Wilson. **Mater Infirmorum Hospital, Belfast.**—E. Gormley; B. Ryan. **City and County Hospital, Londonderry.**—E. K. Grimsey. **Down County Infirmary, Downpatrick.**—G. M. Rodgers. **Lurgan and Portadown District Hospital.**—B. F. Hamilton; R. M. McSwiggin; N. O'Hara; A. M. J. Wright; **Ards District Hospital, Newtownards.**—S. J. Corrie; M. Mullan. **Tyrone County Hospital, Omagh.**—M. E. Bittles; E. Chambers; E. B. Gormley; S. Hobson; E. McGlynn.

Of the eight candidates who entered for the examination for fever nurses, seven had passed and one failed. Successful candidates were :—

Purdysburn Fever Hospital, Belfast.—T. Dale; V. M. Duffus; M. A. Earley; E. Ellis; C. B. Halliday; M. S. Harris; M. J. McKnight.

Of the six candidates who entered for the Sick Children's Nurses' examination, four had passed and two failed. Successful candidates were :—

Belfast Hospital for Sick Children.—R. Neilly; A. R. Whiteside. **Ulster Hospital, Belfast.**—M. E. Clarke; A. M. McIlroy.

The two candidates who entered for the examination for male nurses passed. Successful candidates :—**Belfast City Hospital.**—J. R. Acheson; W. Crawford.

In accordance with the recommendation of the Committee, the Council approved of the appointment of the following examiners for the examinations to be held in October :

Preliminary.—Mr. J. J. Moriarty, Mr. H. Hanna, Mr. M. B. Lavery, Mr. W. M. Brennen, Miss S. K. Stewart, Miss M. M. Grenham, Miss D. Melville and Miss J. E. Snodgrass. *Final Examination for the General Part of the Register.*—Dr. F. MacSorley, Dr. H. H. Stewart, Mr. A. M. Calder, Mr. H. I. McClure, Miss M. Lytle, Miss K. Huey, Miss H. C. Wilson and Miss A. C. Cameron. *Final Examination for Fever Nurses.*—Dr. F. M. B. Allen, Dr. C. J. McSweeney, Miss M. Lytle and Miss K. Huey. *Final Examination for Sick Children's Nurses.*—Dr. H. H. Stewart, Mr. W. M. Brennan, Miss D. Melville and Miss H. C. Wilson. *Midwives' First Examination.*—Dr. F. M. B. Allen, Mr. T. S. Holmes, Dr. R. E. Tottenham, Dr. A. J. Dempsey and Dr. H. J. O'Prey. *Midwives' Second Examination.*—Mr. J. A. Price, Mr. H. I. McClure, Miss M. McKee and Miss M. Phelan.

THE ROYAL SANITARY INSTITUTE

At an examination for health visitors, being the examination approved by the Minister of Health, held in Birmingham on April 9, 10, and 11, 1942, 36 candidates presented themselves. The following 28 candidates passed the examination :—

*Anderson, M. M.; Beresford, G. I.; Berk, J. C. M.; *Bradshaw, N.; Chadburn, E.; *Cowley, E. F.; Eddyvean, J. L.; Fiddes, B.; Gardner, D. M.; *Gilleran, E. J.; *Gosling, D. F.; Guest, C.; Hardisty, F. M.; Humphreys, F. I.; *John, J. B.; Latham, E. M.; Metge, K. E. L.; *Mullings, M. M.; O'Connor, E.; *Orme, W. A.; Parker, N. E.; Rea, B. M.; Sanville, M. M.; *Sharpe, M.; Sutton, M.; Tomlinson, M.; *Wright, P.; Zappelloni, O.

At an examination for health visitors, being the examination approved by the Minister of Health, held in Newcastle-on-Tyne, on April 16, 17 and 18, 1942, thirty-two candidates presented themselves. The following twenty-three candidates passed the examination :—

*Atkin, D.; Barrass, A.; Bigland, E.; Cattanach, G.; Elders, W. M.; Harrison, S.; Hindmarch, D.; Hogg, R. F.; Humphrey, A.; Lee, N.; Lloyd, M. L. G.; Mitchell, I.; Penfold, A. E. E.; Pieroni, M.; Pitt, E. M.; *Stephenson, E.; Taylor, M. J. P.; Thompson, M.; Tock, J.; Tulip, M. F.; Vaughan, I. N.; *Williams, P. I.; ¶Thomas, E.

At an examination for health visitors, being the examination approved by the Minister of Health, held in London on April 23, 24 and 25, 1942, fifty-five candidates presented themselves. The following forty candidates passed the examination :—

Baker, M. A. B.; Barker, A.; Bell, J. M.; †*Brown, E. M.; †*Castleton, R.; *Collins, M. K.; Cooper, E. I.; †*Deeley, W. E.; †*Donovan, K. E.; Ellis, F. D.; *Follenfant, N. E.; *Goddard, V. M.; †Graham, A. A.; †Hayward, W.; †*Helvar, G. L.; Hemson, F. M.; †*Hughes, G. M.; †Hutteroth, E. G.; †*Laidlaw, R. B.; Lewis, M. E.; Lindsay, M. I.; †*Luck, N.; †*Luxton, S. L.; †*Marr, M. E. C. C.; †*Moore, A. M.; Moultrie, M. G.; *O'Connor, M.; †Parker, L.; Pickering, L. S.; Punshon, E.; †Rhodes, M. M.; *Riley, J. E.; †*Slade, J. M.; *Stockley, M.; †Thain, M. M.; Watkins, C. M.; Witting, M.; Yates, M. J.; ¶Butterfield, A. J.; *†*Scott, M.

* *Member, Royal College of Nursing.*
† *Took course at the Royal College of Nursing.*
¶ *The Health Visitor's Certificate will not be issued to these candidates until they have produced evidence that they have complied with regulation 2.*

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MAIDENHEAD HOSPITAL, MAIDENHEAD
COMPLETE TRAINING SCHOOL
Staff Nurse, S.R.N. required for night duty. Able to relieve night sister. Salary £90 per annum. Uniform provided. F.S.S. in force.
Also S.R.N. for day duty. Salary £90 per annum. Uniform provided. F.S.S. in force.
Apply with full particulars to Matron. (1005)

ILFORD COUNCIL MATERNITY HOME
APPOINTMENT OF STAFF MIDWIVES
Salaries: State-certified Midwives who are also State-registered Nurses: £126 10s. per annum rising by one increment to £137 10s. per annum.
State-certified Midwives: £115 10s. per annum, rising by one increment to £126 10s. per annum. (Inclusive of war bonus in each case.) A uniform is provided.
The appointments are subject to the provisions of the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and to the Council's Sickness Regulations. Selected candidates will be required to undergo a medical examination.
Applicants must be willing to do night duty when required and to assist in the training of pupil midwives if such are appointed; a sum during holidays in lieu of maintenance is allowed.
All applications in writing giving experience, qualifications, age and full particulars of training to be made immediately to the Medical Officer of Health, Public Health Offices, Valentines Mansion, Ilford. (1362)

CANNIESBURN AUXILIARY HOSPITAL, BEARSDEN, GLASGOW
Staff Nurses required. Salary £95 per annum. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply to Matron. (1267)

ROYAL INFIRMARY, PRESTON
MATERNITY HOSPITAL
PART I TRAINING SCHOOL
Staff Midwives required, must be S.R.N. and S.C.M. Commencing salary £100 per annum and uniform. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.
Apply with full particulars to Matron. (1266)

THE BIRMINGHAM UNITED HOSPITAL
The General Hospital
The Queen Elizabeth Hospital
(Also incorporating Queen's Hospital, 1841-1941)
THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL
Staff Nurses required for day and night duty. Salary £90 to £100 per annum, with uniform, full residential emoluments, and participation in the F.S.S.N.H.O. Apply with full particulars to the Matron. (1263)

THE BIRMINGHAM UNITED HOSPITAL
The General Hospital
The Queen Elizabeth Hospital
(Also incorporating Queen's Hospital, 1841-1941)
THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL
Staff Midwife required. Commencing salary £95 to £105 per annum, with full residential emoluments. F.S.S.N.H.O. in force. Apply to the Matron with full particulars. (1264)

SIR JOHN PRIESTMAN, DURHAM COUNTY AND SUNDERLAND EYE INFIRMARY, ALEXANDRA ROAD, SUNDERLAND
Required: **Staff Nurses,** S.R.N., Ophthalmic experience essential. Salary £90 per annum, with uniform. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.
Applications giving particulars of age, experience, etc., to be made to Matron. (1330)

BRISTOL ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN AND WOMEN
(Usually known as the Children's Hospital), ST MICHAEL'S HILL, BRISTOL, 2
Theatre Staff Nurse, S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. Also **Staff Nurse,** S.R.N. or R.S.C.N., for alternate day and night duty. Commencing salary £90 p.a. Uniform provided. Superannuation allowance.
Apply with matrons' name for reference to Matron. (1329)

THE HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AT LEEDS, COVENTRY PLACE, LEEDS, 2
(101 BEDS)
Staff Nurse, S.R.N., required, salary £90 per annum (if S.C.M., £95). Uniform provided. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.
Apply with full particulars to the Matron. (1292)

WAR ORGANISATION OF THE BRITISH RED CROSS SOCIETY AND ORDER OF ST. JOHN OF JERUSALEM
State-registered **Nurses** with general and children's training. Also State-registered **Children's Nurses** are required for residential nurseries for convalescent children under the above Organisation. For particulars apply to the Matron-in-Chief, 2, Grosvenor Crescent, London, S.W.1. (1465)

THE ELIZABETH GARRETT ANDERSON, HOSPITAL EUSTON ROAD, N.W.1.
Staff Nurses required for London and unit at St. Albans. Salary £90 p.a. Uniform provided. F.S.S. in force. Apply Matron. (1461)

METROPOLITAN BOROUGH OF FULHAM
WAR-TIME DAY NURSERY
Applications are invited from State-registered Children's or Nursery Trained Nurses for the position of temporary **Staff Nurse** at one of the Council's War-time Day Nurseries. Salary £70 to £85 per annum according to experience, plus emoluments valued at £65 per annum.
Applications stating age, whether married, single or widowed, qualifications and experience, together with copies of two testimonials must be sent to the undersigned not later than 22nd August.
WILFRED TOWNEND,
Town Clerk.
Town Hall,
Fulham, S.W.6. (1459)

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL
COUNTY HOSPITAL, FARNBOROUGH, Nr. BROMLEY
Staff Nurses (non-resident). S.R.N., required. Salary £170 to £185 a year by £5 increments. Uniform. Superannuation. Medical examination necessary.
Application forms and particulars obtainable from Matron at the hospital to whom applications should be sent by 25th August, 1942.
W. L. PLATTS,
County Hall, Clerk of the County Council.
Maidstone.
8th August, 1942. (1457)

ROYAL BUCKINGHAMSHIRE HOSPITAL, AYLESBURY
(150 BEDS)
Staff Midwife required for Maternity Unit Salary £95—£100 with usual emoluments. F.S.S. in force.
Apply to Matron with matron's name for reference. (1285)

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL
STAFF MIDWIVES
COUNTY HOSPITAL, FARNBOROUGH, BROMLEY, KENT (APPROVED AS PART MIDWIFERY TRAINING SCHOOL)
Staff Midwives urgently required S.C.M. and S.R.N. Salary Non-Resident £185 a year, by £5 increments. Additional a year if S.R.N. Uniform. Superannuation. Medical examination necessary.
Application forms and particulars from the at the Hospital to whom applications should be sent.
W. L. PLATTS,
County Hall, Clerk of the County Council.
Maidstone.
8th August, 1942.

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, CLAPHAM COMMON, S.W.4.
Staff Nurse required. S.R.N. Salary Pension Scheme in force.
Apply Matron.

THE PRINCE OF WALES'S GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON, N.15
Staff Nurses required for private patients' wing. Salary £95 per annum, with board, residence, etc. Apply Matron.

ROYAL BUCKINGHAMSHIRE HOSPITAL, AYLESBURY
(150 BEDS)
Two **Staff Nurses** required, one for Theatre and one for Men's Medical Ward. Salary £93—£98 and £90—£95 respectively with usual emoluments. F.S.S. in force.
Apply to Matron with matron's name for reference.

WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY
Staff Nurse required for Out-Patient Department. Salary £90 per annum, and uniform material. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply Matron, The Royal Infirmary, Worcester.

KENT AND CANTERBURY HOSPITAL, CANTERBURY
Experienced **Staff Nurse** required for Theatre. Salary £90 per annum together with board, residence, laundry, uniform and superannuation.
Applications from State-registered nurses giving details of experience together with two testimonials should be sent to the Matron immediately.

GLAMORGAN COUNTY COUNCIL

T GLAMORGAN COUNTY HOSPITAL, NEATH

aff Nurses (S.R.N.) possessing the B. Certificate are required at the e-named hospital.

resent salary £100 per annum plus the alling war bonus, together with indoor orm and the usual residential emoluts.

he appointments are superannuable and ject to the Regulations of the County ncil, and the persons appointed will be uired to pass an examination as to phy- l fitness.

orms of application can be obtained from County Medical Officer, Glamorgan nty Hall, Cardiff.

D. J. PARRY,
Deputy Clerk of the County Council.

morgan County Hall, Cardiff.
August, 1942. (1276)

BOROUGH OF ALTRINCHAM

TRINCHAM CORPORATION ISOLATION HOSPITAL

NURSES WANTED

taff Nurse, F.R.N. or S.R.N., salary £85 annum, plus war bonus and uniform wance, rising to £95 per annum.

ssistant Nurse with fever experience. lary £70 7s. per annum plus war bonus uniform allowance.

robationer Nurses. Salary £40 rising to per annum plus war bonus and uni- m allowance.

pply stating age, experience, etc., with erences to the Matron, Isolation Hos- al, Sinderland Road, Altrincham.

A. GLOSSOP, Town Clerk.
wn Hall, Altrincham. (1275)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF BLACKPOOL

Wanted: Maternity Home. **Midwives** with me experience. Salary £80 per annum.

Assistant Nurses with some hospital aining. Salary £60 per annum.

Children's Hospital.—**Assistant Nurses** re- uired for Hospital for Sick Children. lary £60 per annum.

Infectious Diseases Hospital.—**Staff urses,** S.R.N., for one year's fever train- g. Salary £80—£100 per annum.

The above salaries are subject to a war nus. Board, lodging, uniform and laun- y provided. Apply Matron, Infectious seases Hospital, Devonshire Road, Black- ol.

TREVOR T. JONES, Town Clerk.
(1314)

SELLY OAK HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 29

State-registered Nurses required for duty Staff Nurses. Resident or non-resident. lary according to experience. Application rms from Matron. (1308)

CHELSEA HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, DOVEHOUSE STREET, S.W.3

Vacancies for **Staff Nurses** in August. lary £90 per annum, uniform provided. Super- nuation scheme in force.

Apply Matron. (40)

STRATTON NURSES CO-OP.

Urgently required, **S.R.N., S.C.M.** and **ssistant Nurses** with not less than two ars experience for nursing home and ivate cases on salaried and co-op basis. Apply Matron, 16, Park Lane, Bath. (970)

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, LONDON, W. 2.

Applications are invited from State-registered urses for the Private Patients Wing. Salary cording to experience. Minimum £90 a. resident. Apply with particulars and names r reference to the Matron (66)

HISLEHURST, ORPINGTON AND CRAY VALLEY HOSPITAL, ST. PAUL'S CRAY, KENT

Applications are invited for the following posts:—

Two Staff Nurses. With C.M.B. required r increase of staff. Alternate day and ght duty. Salary £90 rising to £100. uperannuation Scheme in force.

Applications also open for **Probationers.**

Apply Matron. (59)

DEVON COUNTY COUNCIL

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE DEPARTMENTS

Nurses are required at Public Assistance nstitutions in the County.

Staff Nurses. £60—£75 p.a., rising £2 10s. nnually.

Assistant Nurses (experienced). £50—£60 p.a., sing £2 10s. annually.

Assistant Nurses (without experience). £45—£50 a., rising £3 annually.

Board, lodging and uniform provided. War onus 5 per cent. on cash salary and emoluments. Particulars and application forms may be btained from the undersigned.

MARTIN SYKES,
"Felixwell," Public Assistance Officer.
St. Thomas, Exeter. (35)

HERTFORD COUNTY HOSPITAL HERTFORD

Staff Midwife required for Maternity Department, 22 beds. Salary £100 p.a. with annual increments of £5 to maximum of £120 p.a. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Uniform provided.

Apply with full particulars to Matron. (79)

ROYAL NORTHERN HOSPITAL, HOLLOWAY, N.7

Staff Nurses required in St. David's Wing, for private patients.

Resident.—Salary £90 per annum, with board residence, uniform, and laundry.

Non-resident.—Salary £90 per annum with board uniform, and laundry and allowance for residence. Superannuation scheme in force.

Applications should be addressed to the Matron at the Hospital from whom all details can be obtained. (49)

CORPORATION OF BIRMINGHAM

ROMSLEY HILL SANATORIUM, HALESOWEN

(120 BEDS)

Staff Nurse required, S.R.N., salary £95—£5—£105. If holding T.A. Certificate £85—£5—£95.

Probationer Nurse required, not under 18 years of age. Salary £45—£50.

War Bonus given. plus 1s 6d. per week travelling allowance, Board wages when on Holiday. Day off weekly.

Apply to Matron. (16)

WOODFORD JUBILEE HOSPITAL, WOODFORD GREEN, ESSEX

A **Staff Nurse** required. Salary £90 per annum. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Uniform and laundry provided. Apply to the Matron. (22)

MANCHESTER CORPORATION

Staff Nurses, R.S.C.N. or S.R.N., with children's experience, required at the Dr. Garrett Memorial Home for convalescent children (157 beds) Morfa Drive, Conway, North Wales. Annual Salary £103 3s. 10d. rising to £113 9s. 11d. with board, residence, laundry and uniform in addition, subject to the terms and conditions of the Corporation grading scheme.

Apply to the Matron at the Home. (1258)

LOUTH AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL

Staff Midwife required, immediately. Salary £90 (£95 with S.R.N.). Apply, with Matron's name for reference to Matron, Louth and District Hospital, Crowtree Lane, Louth, Lincs. (1241)

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

THE MOUNT SANATORIUM, BISHOPSTOKE, Near WINCHESTER

Staff Nurse, holiday or permanent, required at the above sanatorium. (72 male beds.) Salary £70—£85 according to experience. Write to or call on the Matron. (1122)

Trained **Nurses** wishing to gain additional experience with Certificate, are invited to write to the Matron,

BROMPTON HOSPITAL, Fulham Road, S.W.3,

for particulars of one year's training in the medical and surgical treatment of Pulmonary Tuberculosis and other chest diseases.

Salary £90 (£85 if not S.R.N.). Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. (34)

THE BIRMINGHAM ACCIDENT HOSPITAL AND REHABILITATION CENTRE

There are vacancies for **Staff Nurses** at the above named Hospital. Salary beginning £85 per annum with emoluments. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Experience valuable to Nurses wishing to obtain posts in Industry. Special arrangements for taking the course for the Birmingham University Certificate in Industrial Nursing. Applications stating age and full particulars to be sent to the Matron, The Birmingham Accident Hospital and Rehabilitation Centre, Bath Row, Birmingham 15. (51)

BROMPTON HOSPITAL, S.W.3.

Nurses required for holiday duty:—

(*a*) Fully trained £85, S.R.N. £90 p.a.

(*b*) Partially trained £60 to £70 p.a. according to experience, Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply Matron, Brompton Hospital, London, S.W.3. (48)

THE FORBES FRASER PRIVATE HOSPITAL BATH

Wanted, **Staff Nurses.** State-registered. (S.C.M. an advantage). Willing to take day or night duty. Salary £100 per annum and uniform material. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply with names for reference. (Matron's essential) to the Matron.

Probationer Nurses required. Well educated. Age 17 years. Suitable training for girls not old enough to commence General training.

Apply with reference to the Matron. (55)

ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSPITAL, READING

There are vacancies for **Staff Nurses** in the Paying Patient Block, S.R.N. Salary £90 per annum with part uniform. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply to the Matron. (11)

ALDERSHOT HOSPITAL

MATERNITY UNIT

Staff Nurse required, S.R.N., S.C.M. Salary £95 per annum, rising by £5 to £105, plus £6 uniform allowance for duration of war. F.S.S. in force.

Apply Matron. (26)

ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSPITAL, READING

Additional **Staff Midwives** required. S.R.N., S.C.M., for Maternity Annexe. Salary £120 per annum with uniform. Federated Superannuation scheme in force.

Apply to the Matron. (61)

ST. MARK'S HOSPITAL

(Affiliated Training School)

CITY ROAD, LONDON, E.C.1

State-registered **Staff Nurses** required. Superannuation Scheme in force. Material for indoor uniform provided. Salary £90 by £5 to £100 per annum.

Apply for application forms to Matron. (1392)

GUY'S HOSPITAL, LONDON BRIDGE, S.E.

PAYING PATIENTS' BLOCK

Vacancies for **Resident** State-registered **Staff Nurses.** £90 p.a. Uniform. Nurses must be willing to work in any of the Guy's Hospital War Emergency Units while the paying patients' block is closed.

Applicants must be members of Federated Superannuation Scheme.

Apply the Matron. (240/2)

CROFT HOME, LONDON HOSPITAL ANNEXE No. 1, REIGATE

Staff Nurse, fully trained, wanted in September for alternate day and night duty, 20 beds for women. Salary £80 to £100 per year. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. One months' annual holiday.

Apply with full particulars to Matron. (1394)

SOHO HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AND FIRST AID POST, SOHO SQUARE, W.1

State-registered **Staff Nurse** required. Salary £95 per annum with uniform. Federated Superannuation Scheme in operation. Apply Sister-in-Charge. (1391)

MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Staff Nurses, S.R.N., resident or non-resident. Salary, resident, £85 p.a. (£90 if C.M.B.) with residential emoluments. £58 10s. p.a. Non-resident, £85 p.a. (£90 if C.M.B.) with non-resident allowance, £70 p.a.

Assistant Nurses, non-resident. Salary £2 2s. 6d. p.w. One or more year's training in recognised school qualifies commencing at 45s. p.w. Increment considered after one year's satisfactory service. **Both appointments** chronic nursing day or night duty. Two meals per working day, uniform and laundry. War bonus.

Apply Matron "D," Enfield House, 19, Chase Side Crescent, Enfield, Middx. (Phone: Enf. 0034.) (1386)

WILTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for:—

DEVIZES, SALISBURY, SEMINGTON AND WARMINSTER INSTITUTIONS

Assistant Nurses. Salary £60—£5—£70 per annum, plus 10 per cent. war bonus, with £5 uniform allowance and emoluments.

CHIPPENHAM INSTITUTION

Assistant Nurses. Salary £70—£5—£80 per annum, plus 10 per cent. war bonus, with £5 uniform allowance and emoluments.

SALISBURY INSTITUTION

Charge Nurse (under direction of Head Nurse). Salary £90—£5—£105 per annum (general training certificate required); £70—£5—£85 per annum (if experienced but not fully trained); plus 10 per cent. war bonus on cash salary, with £5 uniform allowance and emoluments.

Application forms by sending a stamped addressed envelope to the Public Assistance Officer, County Hall, Trowbridge.

P. A. SELBORNE STRINGER,
Clerk of the Council.
11th August, 1942. (1375)

DEVON COUNTY COUNCIL

HAWKMOOR SANATORIUM, BOVEY TRACEY

(1) State-registered **Staff Nurses** required, can take Tuberculosis Association Certificate if desired. Salary commencing £95, rising by £5 annually to £105. £5 extra if in possession of Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

(2) **Junior Staff Nurses** required, must have Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Salary commencing £80, rising by £5 annually to £90. Uniform provided.

Both these appointments are subject to a war bonus. For full particulars apply to Matron. (1189)

EAST RIDING COUNTY COUNCIL

DRIFFIELD MATERNITY HOME

Two **State-certified Midwives** required for the permanent staff of the above Home (11 beds). Salary scale £85 per annum, rising by annual increments of £5 to £105 per annum, plus war bonus (at present 10 per cent.), board residence, laundry and uniform. Commencing salary within the scale according to experience, etc.

The appointment will be subject to the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and to a medical examination.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, accompanied by copies of not more than three recent testimonials should be forwarded to the undersigned.

(Signed) T. STEPHENSON,
Clerk of the Council.
County Hall, Beverley. (1373)

BATH & WESSEX CHILDREN'S ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, COMBE PARK, BATH

Applications are invited for the post of **Staff Nurse** for Children's Ward. Salary £90 per annum, if State-registered Nurse. £70 per annum if orthopaedic trained only.

Uniform material supplied and full residential emoluments. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply, giving full particulars and Matron's name for reference, to the Matron. (1214)

POPLAR HOSPITAL, LONDON, E.14

Staff Nurses, S.R.N., to increase Staff at Poplar Hospital and the country branch. Salary £90 p.a. F.S.S. in force. Indoor uniform. Apply, Matron, with Matron's names for reference. (1208)

CITY OF PLYMOUTH

DIDWORTHY SANATORIUM, SOUTH BRENT, DEVON

Applications are invited for the following posts: **Staff Nurse,** salary £85 rising by £5 to £90. **Assistant Nurse,** salary £75 rising by £5 to £80 per annum, with board, lodging and laundry in each case. Apply with full particulars to the Medical Superintendent. (1141)

MOUNT VERNON HOSPITAL AND RADIUM INSTITUTE, NORTHWOOD, MIDDLESEX

Vacancies for State-registered **Nurses** for six months or more in the following departments:—

(i) Female Orthopaedic; (ii) Male Surgical; (iii) Gynaecological; (iv) Radium; (v) Theatre.

Salary £95 p.a. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Uniform by arrangement. Apply with full particulars to the Matron. (1110)

THE PRINCESS BEATRICE HOSPITAL, EARL'S COURT, S.W.5

Staff Nurses required. Commencing salary £90. Uniform provided. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply with names for reference to the Matron. (1195)

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL

BOTLEYS PARK COLONY, CHERTSEY, SURREY

(Including Murray House Annexe)

Applications are invited for the following appointments at the Council's Mental Deficiency Colony:—

(1) **Nurses.** (2) **Assistant Charge Nurses.** Salary and conditions of service based on the recommendations of the Joint Conciliation Committee dated 1st July, 1941.

Nurses.—Commencing salary 40s. per week rising by 7s. 6d. per week at the end of one year's service, and then by 2s. per week each year to a maximum of 57s. 6d. In addition, the following will be paid:—

(*a*) War bonus, at present 6s. 6d. per week.

(*b*) 3s. per week to those holding or passing the preliminary examination of the Royal Medico-Psychological Association, and a further 3s. per week for the final examination.

(*c*) Overtime, at *pro rata* rates, based on a 48-hour standard week. Up to 12 hours overtime per week may be required to be worked.

Assistant Charge Nurses.—As above, with additions in accordance with years of service and with an extra 2s. per week. Candidates must hold the final certificate of the R.M.P.A. or be State-registered.

Persons appointed will be charged 21s. per week for board, lodging and laundry. Uniform will be provided.

The appointments are subject to the Asylums and Certified Institutions (Officers' Pensions) Act 1918, and to the Council's Staffing Regulations. Successful candidates will be required to pass a medical examination.

Applications should be sent to the Medical Superintendent of the Colony.

DUDLEY AUKLAND,
Clerk of the Council.
August, 1942. (1290)

EAST HADDON HALL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, NORTHAMPTON

Staff Midwives required. Salary £115 per annum to State-registered nurses. £100 to State-certified midwives only. Apply with particulars to Matron, Nurses Home Howards Road, Plaistow, E.13. (1123)

COUNTY COUNCIL HOSPITAL, CROSS HOUSES, Near SHREWSBURY

Staff Nurses required for male and female wards. Must be S.R.N. Salary £90 rising £5 yearly to £100. If S.C.M. £95 rising £5 yearly to £105. Uniform provided. Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply, giving full particulars of training and subsequent experience, if any, with dates, age, etc., to Matron.

Staff Nurses required for maternity ward. Must be S.R.N. and S.C.M. Salary £95 rising £5 yearly to £105. Uniform provided. Superannuation scheme in force. Apply giving full particulars of training and subsequent experience, if any, with dates, age, etc., to Matron. (1142)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF SWANSEA
INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL

Staff Nurses required. Must be State-registered Fever Nurse. Salary £75 rising by £5 to £90 plus war bonus, with board, washing and uniform found.

Apply Matron, Hill House Infectious Disease Hospital, Sketty, Swansea. (1172)

NORTHAMPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL
(410 BEDS)

Staff Nurses required. Theatre experience useful. Salary £90 per annum with usual emoluments and F.S.S. in force. Apply to Matron with names for reference. (1166)

THE GUEST HOSPITAL, DUDLEY

Staff Nurse, S.R.N., required for Out-Patient Department. Salary £95 p.a. and uniform. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply with full particulars to Matron. (1178)

PLAISTOW MATERNITY HOSPITAL AND DISTRICT NURSES HOME

Staff Midwives required. Salary £100—£115 according to experience. Apply with full particulars to Matron, Nurses Home, Howards Road, Plaistow, E.13. (1124)

HUDDERSFIELD ROYAL INFIRMARY

Staff Nurse required for night duty in Abnormal Maternity Ward. Candidates must be S.R.N. and possess S.C.M. Salary £95 with uniform and superannuation. Apply Matron. (1120)

BOLTON NURSING HOME, LTD., NEWLAND, BOLTON (32 BEDS)

Staff Nurses required. S.R. Salary £85 plus 6 per cent. and uniform Apply with particulars of training and testimonials. Apply Matron. (1248)

THE HARPENDEN AUXILIARY HOSPITAL AND MEMORIAL NURSING CENTRE

Midwife required for Harpenden Auxiliary Hospital for August 1st. Salary £90 p.a., and £10 uniform allowance. Four weeks holiday p.a. Apply with testimonials to Matron. (800)

ROYAL HALIFAX INFIRMARY
(250 BEDS)

Staff Nurse required for Male Surgical Ward Salary £90—£95 with uniform. F.S.S. in force Apply with particulars of training to the Matron (817)

ROYAL HALIFAX INFIRMARY
MIDWIFERY TRAINING SCHOOL
(250 BEDS)

Two **Staff Midwives** required, S.R.N. and S.C.M. Salary £90—£95 with uniform. F.S.S. in force. Apply with particulars of training to the Matron. (818)

SAINT MARY'S HOSPITALS, MANCHESTER 13
(MATERNITY BRANCHES IN TOWN AND COUNTRY)

Wanted **Staff Midwives,** S.R.N., S.C.M. Commencing salary £95 per annum. F.S.S. adopted Apply giving Matron's names for reference to Matron. (1323)

CONNAUGHT HOSPITAL, ORFORD ROAD WALTHAMSTOW, LONDON, E.17.

Staff Nurses, State-registered, fully trained, required for ward work. Salary at rate of £90 per annum. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply by letter or personally to Matron. (1410)

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY

Staff Nurses required. Salary £90 per annum with uniform. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply with full particulars to the Matron. (1468)

BRISTOL ROYAL INFIRMARY
(430 BEDS)
Medical School and School of Nursing

Preliminary Training School. Eight weeks, length of training, three or four years. Private Nursing Staff attached; also co-operative staff.

Shortened Course of Training arranged for nurses on Supplementary Registers.

A Pre-Training Course arranged for well educated girls intending to train as Nurses at the Bristol Royal Infirmary. Age from 17½ years. (5)

THE BIRMINGHAM ACCIDENT HOSPITAL AND REHABILITATION CENTRE
PRELIMINARY TRAINING COURSE

There are vacancies in the above-named Hospital for **Student Nurses.** Two years' course.

The Syllabus includes all subjects required for the Preliminary State Examination. Lecturer will be given by the Medical Officers, and Lectures and Demonstrations by the Sister Tutor and Ward Sisters.

After passing the Preliminary State Examination, students will move on to Affiliated School for completion of training.

Salary 1st year £40 with uniform.
Salary 2nd year £45 with uniform.
For particulars apply to the Matron.
Birmingham Accident Hospital and Rehabilitation Centre, Birmingham, 15. (10)

ROYAL WATERLOO HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN AND WOMEN, WATERLOO ROAD, S.E.1

There are vacancies for **Student Nurses.** Age 17½ to 30 years, for 3½ years training. Part of this period will be spent in the country. Lectures given by medical staff. Resident Sister Tutor.

Applications should be addressed to the Matron. (57)

BISHOP'S STORTFORD GENERAL HOSPITAL, HERTS

Affiliated for the training of Nurses to Royal Free Hospital, Hertford County Hospital and Essex County Hospital

Student Nurses required, age 17½ and upwards. Salary first year £35 per annum. Second year £40 per annum. Uniform provided. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

For details apply to the Matron. (1012)

CITY OF LEEDS
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL

Assistant Nurses (Resident and Non-resident) required for Chronic and Mental Wards. Previous experience essential. Present salary scale of the Corporation :—

Resident : £55 to £70 per annum, plus cost-of-living bonus, uniform and full residential emoluments.

Non-resident : 42s. to 48s. per week, plus cost-of-living bonus, uniform and meals when on duty.

Apply personally, or in writing, to the Matron, St. James's Hospital, Leeds, 9. (1342)

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL
COUNTY HOSPITAL, FARNBOROUGH, NR. BROMLEY, KENT

Assistant Nurses (non-resident) required, preferably with good hospital experience. Salary £135 to £155 a year by £5 increments. Uniform. Superannuation.

Further particulars and application forms obtainable from Matron at the Hospital, to whom applications should be sent by 25th August, 1942.

W. L. PLATTS,
County Hall, Clerk of the County Council.
Maidstone. 8th August, 1942. (1458)

BROMPTON HOSPITAL SANATORIUM, FRIMLEY, SURREY

Nurses required. Commencing salary £90 if S.R.N. If partially trained from £60 to £70 according to experience. Applications considered from ex-patients. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.

Apply Matron, Brompton Hospital, London, S.W.3. (1418)

COVENTRY & WARWICKSHIRE HOSPITAL AND PRELIMINARY TRAINING SCHOOL ESTABLISHED IN COUNTRY

Probationer Nurses required. Salary first year, £35 second year, £40 third year. Apply the Matron

QUEEN MARY'S HOSPITAL FOR THE EAST END, STRATFORD, E.15
RECOGNISED TRAINING SCHOOL

Probationer Nurses required. Well educated age 18 to 30 years. Four years' training. Superannuation Scheme in force. Salary £35—£40—£50.

Apply by letter, or personally any day to Matron.

HUDDERSFIELD ROYAL INFIRMARY

There are vacancies for women of good education aged 18 to 30, **as Probationer Nurses** at the Preliminary Training School. They will be trained throughout by a Resident Sister Tutor. The work is undertaken after a two month's trial in the School and the training lasts for three years. Salary 1st year, £30; 2nd year, £35; 3rd year, £40 plus board, residence, uniform and the Federated Superannuation Scheme. Nurses who have passed the Final State Examination in Children's or Fever Nursing, may apply for two years' general training.

Enquiries to be addressed to the Matron.

DISTRICT INFIRMARY, ASHTON-UNDER-LYNE

Probationers required, age 18 to 30. This is a training school. Salary £30, £35 £40 with emoluments. State-registered Fever or Children's Nurses are accepted as second year nurses for two years' training. One day off a week.

For particulars apply to Matron.

THE GENERAL INFIRMARY AT LEEDS
(673 BEDS)
APPROVED TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES

There are vacancies for **Probationers** for increase of staff. A good standard of education is required.

Nurses on Supplementary Children or Sick Register accepted as second-year Nurses for two years' training.

Salary £30 first year; £35 second-year; £40 third year; £50 fourth year nurses, and after gaining State-registration. Age 18-30 years.

Application should be made to the Matron who will be pleased to interview parents and of school-leaving age interested in the profession.

CITY OF MANCHESTER

Student Nurses wanted now and later at the following Municipal Hospitals :—

TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIA (minimum age 18 years).
Abergele Sanatorium, Abergele, North Wales.—£45—£50—£45—£50. (Affiliated training school).
Baguley Sanatorium, near Altrincham, Cheshire.—£50 to £55.

GENERAL HOSPITALS (Complete Training Schools). (Minimum age 18 years.)
Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Crumpsall, Manchester, 8. £40 by £5 to £50.
Withington Hospital, West Didsbury, Manchester, 20. £40 by £5 to £50.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL (Training School). (Minimum age 17 years.)
Monsall Hospital, Newton Heath, Manchester, 10. £50 to £55.

Emoluments, board, residence, laundry and uniform are additional to the annual salaries stated.

All applications should be addressed to the Matrons of the establishments. (240/15)

SOUTH MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL, OFF MOGDEN LANE, ISLEWORTH, MIDDLESEX

Wanted, **Assistant Nurses.** Salary £60 per annum rising £2 10s. to £65, with uniform.

Apply Matron. (56)

CITY OF WAKEFIELD
MUNICIPAL MATERNITY HOSPITAL

Nursing Assistants required. Salary £60 p.a. plus bonus 3s. 3d. per week. Uniform provided. Superannuable post.

Apply to the Town Clerk, Town Hall, Wakefield, stating age, experience and three references. (1175)

BROMPTON HOSPITAL

Assistant Nurses required to train for the Certificate of the Tuberculosis Association.

Commencing salary £60 per annum.

Apply Matron, Brompton Hospital, London, S.W.3 (47)

HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
SHRODELLS HOSPITAL, WATFORD

Assistant Nurses required at Shrodells Institution, Watford. Salary £65 per annum rising by £2 10s. per annum to £70 per annum (if holding two years' training certificate, £70, rising by £2 10s. to £75). This salary refers to a resident appointment, and if non-resident, a cash sum of £78 per annum will be added.

Forms of application may be obtained from the Master, Shrodells, 60, Vicarage Road, Watford.

ELTON LONGMORE,
County Hall, Clerk of the County Council.
Hertford. (1359)

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Assistant Nurses required at :—
Kingston County Hospital, Wolverton Avenue, Kingston-on-Thames.
Epsom County Hospital, Dorking Road, Epsom.
Dorking County Hospital, Horsham Road, Dorking.
Redhill County Hospital, Earlswood Common, Redhill.
Surrey County Sanatorium, Milford, near Godalming.
Cumberland House, Whitford Gardens, Mitcham.
Shabden Park Hospital, Chipstead.
The Lodge Effingham.

Salary £60—£2 10s.—£65 p.a. plus war bonus, together with full residential emoluments valued at £65 p.a.

Forms of application and further particulars from the Matrons. (1415)

Nursing Trainees for a two-year Course for Assistant Nurses at St. John's Hospital, Chelmsford, and other hospitals. Salary £50—£5—£55 per annum, resident. £60—£7 10s.—£75 per annum when trained. Four weeks' holiday a year. Apply Public Assistance Officer, Waterloo Lane, Chelmsford. (1448)

BEDFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
(PUBLIC ASSISTANCE COMMITTEE)
APPOINTMENT OF RESIDENT ASSISTANT NURSES—ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, LUTON

Applications are invited for the above appointments. Salary £65 per annum, rising subject to satisfactory service by two increments of £5 to £75 per annum, together with residential emoluments valued at £65 per annum and a cost of living bonus of 5s. weekly. A merit increment of £2 10s. per annum will be granted after five years service and a further £2 10s. after eight years of satisfactory service.

The appointments are subject to the Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, and the successful applicants will be required to pass a medical examination.

Forms of application can be obtained from the Matron, St. Mary's Hospital, 11a, Dunstable Road, Luton, and must be returned to her as soon as possible.

J. B. GRAHAM,
Clerk of the County Council.
Public Assistance Office,
81, High Street, Bedford.
4th August, 1942. (1262)

CITY OF BATH
SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Assistant Nurses (resident and non-resident) required at St. Martin's Hospital, Combe Down, Bath. Commencing salary according to experience; resident officers rising to £70 per annum, and war bonus together with usual residential emoluments; non-resident officers rising to £130 per annum, and war bonus together with meals when on duty, indoor uniform and laundry.

Applications, on forms to be obtained from the undersigned, should be forwarded as soon as possible.

WALTER HEMER.
Director of Social Welfare.
12, Charlotte Street, Bath. (1428)

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18
PROBATIONER NURSES

There are vacancies for **Probationer Nurses** in the Dudley Road Hospital, Birmingham, which is approved by the General Nursing Council as a complete Training School for Nurses.

Period of training three years, exclusive of three months' trial period.

Salary £40, £45, and £55 for first, second and third years respectively; residence, rations, laundry and uniform provided. Good off-duty time and annual holidays.

Full particulars will be forwarded on application (accompanied by stamped addressed foolscap envelope) being made to Matron. (17)

WOODFORD JUBILEE HOSPITAL, WOODFORD GREEN, ESSEX

Required, **Probationer Nurse** from 16½ Salary £30 per annum, laundry and uniform provided. Lectures given in preparation for training.

Apply to the Matron.

ROYAL NORTHERN HOSPITAL, HOLLOWAY, N.7
PROBATIONERS

Candidates of good education between the ages of 18 and 33 can be received into the Preliminary Training School for seven weeks' training without fees before entering the wards. Salary during training, first year, £30; second year, £35; third year, £40; fourth year, £50 to £70. On completion of four years' training selected nurses have the opportunity of training for the C.M.B. Examination.

Apply to Matron for full particulars

BRITISH HOME AND HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES, CROWN LANE, STREATHAM, S.W.16

There are vacancies for well-educated **probationers.** Invaluable training given to those too young for general hospitals. Salary £35 first year, £5 bonus with certificate, uniform, board, lodging and laundry. Two weeks' holiday annually. Nurses' Home and shelter.

Apply to Matron.

CAREER FOR GIRLS
IN A PENSIONABLE RESERVED OCCUPATION
KENT COUNTY MENTAL HOSPITAL, MAIDSTONE.

Vacancies exist for well-educated girls for training in the nursing of mental and nervous disorders. No previous experience is required and candidates are prepared for examination by the General Nursing Council by Resident Medical Officers and a Sister Tutor.

The commencing salary is £2 8s. per week, rising to £2 15s. 9d. per week at the commencement of the second year, and thereafter on qualification to £4 per week. Those salaries include a war addition of at present 6s. 6d. per week. The maximum deduction made for board, lodging and laundry is at present £1 3s. 3d. per week.

Reasonable travelling expenses refunded.

Four months' satisfactory service. Temporary posts are also available at similar rates of remuneration.

All Probationers on obtaining the necessary qualifications are eligible for higher posts at salaries between £165 and £355 per annum, with full residential emoluments.

For further particulars and application form Apply Matron.

MANCHESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY

Probationers required for increase of staff.

For particulars apply to the Lady Superintendent of Nurses.

THE ROYAL INFIRMARY, SHEFFIELD
(475 BEDS)
There are vacancies for **Probationer Nurses** for release of staff. After three months' preliminary course candidates who are accepted for duty in the wards and departments are given opportunities for preparing the examination of the General Nursing Council. Instruction is given by members of the Honorary Medical Staff and by resident Sister Tutors.
Salaries 1st year, £30; 2nd year £35; 3rd year £40; 4th year £50; immediately increased to £90 on becoming State-registered.
Federated Superannuation Scheme in force for trained staff. A good standard of education is required. Age 18-30.
Inquiries and applications should be addressed to the Matron who will be pleased to interview students of likely candidates. (18)

COUNTY COUNCIL HOSPITAL, CROSS HOUSES, Near SHREWSBURY
Preliminary training school, affiliated to Sefton Hospital, Liverpool. **Probationers** required. Age 18 to 28 years. Must have good education. Salary £40 and £45 with 10 per cent. war bonus. Superannuation scheme. Uniform provided. Apply to Matron for application forms. (1143)

THE SKIN HOSPITAL, GEORGE ROAD, EDGBASTON, BIRMINGHAM, 15
Student Nurses required for two years training. Suitable candidates of good education who wish to prepare for General training accepted at the age of 16. Salary £7 10s.—£42 10s., all uniform being provided. Apply Matron. (1148)

ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSPITAL, READING
TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES
There are vacancies for **Probationer Nurses** on increase of staff. A good standard of education is required. Age 18—30, for three years' training. Candidates are also received between 17 and 18 years of age for one year's preliminary training in the Branch Hospital.
For particulars apply to the Matron. (36)

NOTTINGHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL
(432 BEDS)
Preliminary Training School Attached
There are vacancies for **Probationer Nurses.** A good standard of education is required. Age 18 to 30.
Salary: 1st year £30; 2nd year £35; 3rd year £40; 4th year, £50.
With board, residence, laundry and indoor uniform. Probationers are coached throughout their training by the Sister Tutor.
Suitable candidates who have passed the Final State Examination in children's or Fever Nursing are accepted for a shortened period of training.
Applications should be addressed to the Matron, General Hospital, Nottingham, from whom all further information may be obtained. (2)

Probationer Nurses needed. Lectures given by Medical Staff and Sister Tutor. Board, lodging and uniform found.

Age	1st year	2nd year
17	£50	£57 10
18	£55	£62 10
19	£60	£67 10
20	£65	£72 10
21	£70	£77 10

War bonus in addition.
Apply to Matron, Standish House Sanatorium, Stonehouse, Glos. (60)

WINSLEY SANATORIUM, Near BATH
(135 BEDS)
Probationer required, two years course. Prepared for the Tuberculosis Association examination, salary £36 5s. first year and £2 10s. second year. Board, lodging, laundry and uniform provided.
Apply to Matron. (1313)

KING EDWARD VII HOSPITAL, WINDSOR
Probationers required. Candidates must be strong and well educated. Age 18 to 30. Salary £30, £35, £40.
Apply for forms and particulars to the Matron. (1311)

LORD MAYOR TRELOAR CRIPPLES' HOSPITAL, ALTON, HAMPSHIRE
(410 BEDS)
This hospital is prepared to receive girls at the age of 17 years for training in the nursing of crippled children and in orthopaedic work. Suitable trainees may go on to a hospital in London for general training.
The training is valuable for those intending later to become fully trained Nurses but who are too young to commence general training.
Certificates granted for two year's work.
Candidates must have good health and be well educated. Salary, first year £30, plus bonus; second year £35, plus bonus, with residence, board, uniform, laundry, etc. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force after first year.
Selected trainees may be appointed for a third year at a salary of £40, and be eligible to compete for the Dame Annie Welsor scholarship of the value of £25.
Send stamped addressed envelope to the Matron for application form. (1296)

CONNAUGHT HOSPITAL, ORFORD ROAD' WALTHAMSTOW, E.17
(118 BEDS)
RECOGNIZED TRAINING SCHOOL
Resident Sister Tutor. There are vacancies for well-educated **Probationers.** Four years training, inclusive of trial period. Salary £30, £35, £40, £50 uniform provided. Day off weekly. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force.
Apply for form and particulars to the Matron. (1409)

ROYAL LONDON OPHTHALMIC HOSPITAL (MOORFIELDS EYE HOSPITAL) CITY ROAD, LONDON, E.C.1
(AFFILIATED WITH GUY'S HOSPITAL, CHARING CROSS HOSPITAL, AND ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, PADDINGTON)
Student Nurses required to enter Preliminary Training School in October, 1942, and January, April, July and October, 1943. Matriculation or School leaving Certificate preferred. Two years' training. Salary £30—£35 per annum.
Examinations held and certificates and Moorfields Badge given to successful candidates.
Apply Matron. (1405)

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY
APPROVED TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES
The Hospital provides a four-year course of training (three years for nurses on Supplementary Registers), and there are at present vacancies for **Probationers.**
After a course of eight weeks in the Preliminary Training School, Probationers take their ward training at the Sutton Branch Hospital, which is a complete General Hospital standing in extensive grounds outside the city. Sleeping accommodation is provided outside Hull for Probationers who work in Special Departments and Clinics at the Parent Hospital. Throughout their training Probationers receive theoretical instruction from a qualified Sister Tutor, and lectures are given by the Medical and Surgical staff. Social and recreational facilities are available at both hospitals which also have adequate air raid shelters. Remunerations: First year, £30; second year £35; third year £40; fourth year (until State-registration) £50 (after State-registration) £70.
For further particulars apply to the Matron. (1466

THE ROYAL HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON
(INCORPORATED UNDER CHARTER)
(340 BEDS)
Vacancies for well-educated girls as **Probationers,** age 18-30 years. Preliminary training school. Free midwifery training (Part I) may be taken in fourth year if so desired. Uniform provided. Scholarships available for specialised training after State-registration.
A course for girls of 17 years may be taken in the women's department before general training. Uniform provided.
Full particulars may be obtained from the Matron, who will be pleased to interview parents and girls by appointment.
Wolverhampton. (240/5)

CUMBERLAND INFIRMARY, CARLISLE
There are vacancies for **Probationers.** Must be well educated and strong.
Preliminary Training School, two months course Theoretical instruction given by the Honorary Medical Staff and by the Resident Sister Tutor.
For particulars apply to the Matron (240/11)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF OLDHAM BOUNDARY PARK GENERAL HOSPITAL
(430 BEDS)
TRAINING SCHOOL FOR GENERAL NURSING AND MIDWIFERY
Probationer Nurses required for three years General Training. Must be over 18 years of age. Salary £40 first year, £45 second year, £50 third year, plus emoluments and cost of living bonus.
Forms of application may be obtained from the Matron of the above Hospital. (1269)

Vacancies for **Trainee Nurses** (two years' training) at the Orpington Institution and Emergency Hospital, Orpington, Kent.
Salary £50—£55 per annum. Resident Hospital Certificate given to successful candidates at the end of training. For particulars apply the Matron. (1322)

CORPORATION OF BIRMINGHAM
ROMSLEY HILL SANATORIUM, HALESOWEN (120 BEDS)
Probationer Nurses required for two years training, not under 18 years of age. Salary £55 p.a., plus war bonus and weekly travelling allowance, 1s. 6d. Lectures given by Medical Superintendent and Sister Tutor.
Apply to Matron. (1319)

INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL, LITTLE BROMWICH, BIRMINGHAM, 9
(750 BEDS)
Probationer Nurses required. Candidates must be strong and well educated. Age 17-28. Salary £50, £53, £60. Uniform provided. Holiday ration allowance granted. Superannuation scheme in force. For further particulars and application forms apply Matron. (1316)

ST. MARK'S HOSPITAL,
(Affiliated Training School)
CITY ROAD, LONDON, E.C.1
Probationers required. Good education essential. Uniform provided. Salary £30 first year. £35 second year. Age 18 to 30.
Apply for application form to Matron. (1393)

NURSES WANTED

20 words 4/- and 1/- for every additional 5 or part of 5 words

Applications are invited for the post of **District Nurse** (Cyclist) for Knock, Point, Isle of Lewis. Applicants must be fully trained with S.R.N. and C.M.B. Certificates. Queen's Nurse preferred. Applications, with copy testimonials, should be lodged with the undersigned not later than 28th August, 1942. Alex. D. Maciver, District Clerk, Municipal Buildings, Stornoway.. (1226)

Queen's Nurses required for Midwifery and General work. Cyclist. Salary to scale. Uniform £10. Holiday allowance £4. Apply Superintendent. 11, Elm Grove Road, Exeter. (1052)

Queen's. State-registered nurse required to qualify for Roll. Cyclist preferred. Federated Superannuation Scheme in force. Apply Superintendent, Kensington District Nursing Association 1, Bedford Gardens, W.8 (119)

Queen's, State-registered **Nurses** urgently required, to qualify for roll. F.S.S. Holiday allowance.—Apply Superintendent, Metropolitan D.N.A., 31, Bedford Place, W.C.1. (171)

Queen's, S.R.N.'s to qualify for Roll. Salary to Scale. Holiday allowance. Uniform F.S.S. Cyclist. Day off weekly. Modern home.—Apply Superintendent, 18, Alexandra Road, Watford. (24)

Queen's Nurse, General and relief midwifery, cyclist. Salary scale. Holiday allowance. F.S.S. Apply Superintendent, 91, East Parade, Harrogate, Yorkshire. (1236)

Sister, general trained, required for Ladysbridge Mental Hospital, Banff, experience in Mental Nursing an advantage. Salary according to experience. Applications, stating age and experience, to be sent to the Matron. (1253)

Staff Nurses required: general trained and C.M.B. Certificates. Salary according to experience: with board; laundry and use of uniform. Apply with references to Matron, Western General Hospital, Edinburgh. (1153)

Wanted, **Assistant Nurse,** fever trained. Salary £77 p.a. plus £7 10s. uniform allowance. Write with references to A. J. C. Mackarness, Clerk to the Petersfield Joint Hospital Board, 16, High Street, Petersfield, Hants. (774)

Two fully trained **Nurses** required for High-class Nursing Home (half mile from town). Salary £95 per annum. State age and particulars of experience to Secretary, Cliff Coombe Nursing Home, Tunbridge Wells. (240/26)

London Radiologist requires experienced **Radiographer.** State salary required.—Box No. 1400, the "Nursing Times," St. Martin's Street, London, W.C.2. (1400)

Queen's Nurse wanted for Airdrie, Lanarkshire; three in home; general work only undertaken. Apply Superintendent for Scotland, 26, Castle Terrace, Edinburgh. (1378)

Queen's Nurse wanted for East Mainland, Orkney; combined duties undertaken; motorist; lodgings provided. Apply Superintendent for Scotland, 26, Castle Terrace, Edinburgh. (1379)

Wanted urgently, **Certified Midwife,** some general training, for Moral Welfare Home for Mothers' and Babies Home, Erith, Kent. Church-woman essential. Send full particulars to the Secretary, All Saints' Vicarage, Belvedere, Kent. Tel. Erith 2169. (1368)

Queen's Nurses required for :—
Poulton with Fernhead, double district near Warrington, nicely furnished house, general and midwifery, one required, cyclist and motorist.
Prestwich, four nurses employed, one required, general nursing, cyclist, furnished house.
Vickerstown, single district, general nursing, auto-cyclist, furnished rooms.
Leigh, three nurses in home, one required, cyclist, general nursing.
Royton, double district, one required, nicely furnished house, general nursing.
Longton, single district, motorist, general and midwifery, furnished rooms.
Dalton-in-Furness, single district, general nursing only, nicely furnished rooms.
All posts salary rising to £125 according to service, plus £10 if undertaking midwifery, £10 uniform allowance, all else provided. F.S.S
County Superintendent, 12, Ribblesdale Place Preston, Lancashire. (1341)

Queen's Nurse wanted for New Cumnock, Ayrshire. Combined duties. Salary to scale. Apply immediately to County Superintendent, 18 Wellington Square, Ayr. (1403)

Queen's Nurse wanted for Barrhill, Ayrshire. Motorist. Combined duties. Salary to scale. Apply immediately to County Superintendent, 18, Wellington Square, Ayr. (1404)

QUEEN'S NURSES WANTED

Barrow-in-Furness. Superintendent for Staff of seven. General work. Experience in training candidates for Queen's Roll essential. Salary according to qualifications.

East Barnet, Herts. Training School Part 2, C.M.B. Assistant Superintendent with good midwifery experience and H.V. certificate. Salary according to qualifications.

Plymouth. Experienced Midwife to act as Assistant and to help train pupils, Part 2 C.M.B. Cyclist. Midwife Teacher's or H.V. Certificate preferred. Opportunity for housekeeping experience. Salary according to qualifications. Uniform allowance. F.S.S.

Bexhill, Sussex. One of three, combined duties. Cyclist. Sussex County scale. Home.

Bucknall, Staffordshire. Single district. General nursing. Cyclist. Motorist for preference. Salary £190 to £230, war bonus £18 4s. up to and including salary £220, then increasing to £20 16s., uniform £10, F.S.S. £60 per annum if own car.

Carlisle. Nurses needed for staff. General nursing. Cyclists. Scale salary. Home.

Chipping Sodbury, Glos. Single district. Combined duties. Cyclist, motorist. Inclusive salary. Rooms.

Cirencester, Glos. One for staff of four. Combined duties. Cyclist. Scale salary. Share comfortable rooms.

East Barnet, Herts Part 2 Training School, C.M.B. (1) Training Midwife, suitable for nurses wishing to study for Midwife Teacher's course. Cyclist. Salary according to experience. (2) Two nurses for staff. Combined duties. Cyclists. Scale salaries. Home.

Eckington, Derbyshire. Two employed, one required. General nursing and midwifery. Salary £200—£10—£220, war bonus 10 per cent. F.S.S. Cyclist.

Gravesend, Kent. Double district, two required, General nursing. Cyclists. One car, own living arrangements. Scale salary.

Haywards Heath Sussex. Three employed, one required. Combined duties. Cyclist. Sussex County Scale salary. Own living arrangements.

Heyland, near Barnsley. Single district. General nursing. Salary £220—£240, rooms available.

Intake and Gleadless, Sheffield. Double district, one required. General and midwifery. Salary £230—£250. Comfortable rooms, live separately. F.S.S.

Isle of Man, Southern Rural Area. Single district. General nursing and midwifery. Motorist. Scale salary. Rooms.

Llandudno, Denbighshire. Two for staff of three. General nursing and midwifery. Cyclists. Scale salary. Home.

Lydney, Glos. Double district, one required. General and midwifery. Cyclist, motorist. Share Council House. Scale salary.

Neath, Glamorgan. One for staff, S.C.M. Scale salary. Home.

Ninfield, Sussex. Single district. Combined duties. Cyclist, motorist. Sussex County Scal salary. F.S.S. Rooms.

North Malvern, Cowleigh and Malvern Link, Worcs. One required. Combined duties. Cyclist. Scale salary. Rooms.

Peacehaven. Single district. Combined duties. Cyclist, motorist. Sussex County Scale salary. Own living arrangements.

Redditch, Worcs. One for staff. General nursing and midwifery. Cyclist. Scale salary. Home.

Rugeley, near Stafford. Single district. General work. Cyclist. Salary £190—£10—£230, war bonus, £18 4s. up to and including £220, afterwards £20 16s., uniform £10. F.S.S. Own living arrangements.

Shrewsbury. One for staff of seven. General nursing. Auto-cycle provided. Scale salary. Home.

Slough, Bucks. Two General Nurses for staff. Cyclists. Scale salary. Home.

Sompting, Worthing (Broadwater Area). Three employed, one required. Combined duties' Cyclist. Scale salary. Home.

Taunton, Somerset. District midwife end August Cyclist. Scale salary. F.S.S. Home.

Tewkesbury, Glos. One required. Combined duties. Cyclist. Scale salary. Rooms.

Willenhall, Staffordshire. One of three, whole time Midwife. Cyclist. Salary £200—£10—£240. War bonus £18 4s., uniform £10. F.S.S. Own living arrangements.

Apply Queen's Institute of District Nursing, 57, Lower Belgrave Street, London, S.W.1. (1447)

Industrial Nurse, for Factory, required to take charge of Ambulance Room under Welfare Supervisor. Alternate spells of day and night duty. Good wages and interesting work. Applicants should be hospital trained, S.R.N. preferred, but not insisted upon. It is only permitted to advertise for women aged 31 or over; applicants should, however, be not more than 45; resident locally; and available immediately or at short notice. Write, in first instance giving details of experience, age, etc., to Employment Manager, Molins Machine Co., Ltd., Evelyn Street, Deptford, S.E.8. (1454)

District Nurse Midwives, S.R.N., three employed, two required. Didcot. Three furnished rooms with attendance available. Midwifery, general nursing and health visiting. Salary £212 inclusive. Pension scheme. Apply County Superintendent, Berkshire County Nursing Association, Town Hall Chambers, Reading. (1434)

Queen's Nurse Midwives—Berkshire. Work includes midwifery, general health visiting. Cyclists; motorists or willing to learn. Federated Superannuation Scheme.

Abingdon. Three employed, two required. Salary £105—£135 according to Queen's service. Uniform £10. Board, lodging etc., provided in Cottage Hospital.

Thatcham. Two employed, one required. Salary £232—£262 according to Queen's service. Share house, deduction £20.

Emergency Staff. Salary £105—£135 according to Queen's service. £10 uniform. Allowance for board and lodging.

Apply County Superintendent, Berkshire County Nursing Association, Town Hall Chambers, Reading. (1433)

S.C.M. wanted September 1st, mainly night duty. Maternity Home, 10 beds. Salary up to £96. Own comfortable room. Matron, 20, Peppard Road, Caversham, Reading. (1320)

Sister-in-Charge required for large up to date Medical and Surgical Home; previous experience similar position advantage; also **State-registered Nurses.** Full particulars experience, salary, etc., to Matron, "Strathallan," Owls Road, Boscombe, Hants. (1331)

Queen's Nurses (2) wanted for Yell, Shetland; separate lodgings provided; motor-cyclists required; combined duties undertaken. Apply Superintendent for Scotland, 26, Castle Terrace, Edinburgh. (1273)

Queen's Nurse, senior of four, required for Leith; Home provided; general and maternity work undertaken; salary £125 per annum rising by £5 annually to £135 per annum plus £10 uniform allowance and all else provided. Preference given to nurse holding the Health Visitor's Certificate. Apply Superintendent for Scotland, 26, Castle Terrace, Edinburgh. (1274)

Queen's Nurse wanted for Dufftown, Banffshire; lodgings provided; combined duties undertaken; motorist required or willing to learn to drive a car. Apply Superintendent for Scotland, 26 Castle Terrace, Edinburgh. (1442)

District Nurse Midwives required for permanent and temporary posts. Car drivers. Cottage available in one district. Salary according to qualifications and experience. Application forms may be obtained from The County Superintendent, County Nursing Association, County Hall, Hertford (1436)

MALE NURSES

12/- per inch or set solid as "Nurses Wanted."

BERKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE DEPARTMENT
HUNGERFORD INSTITUTION

Male Nurse (uncertificated). Non-resident. Gross wages 57s. 6d. per week, rising to a maximum of 79s. per week. Commencing salary according to experience. The person appointed must produce a medical certificate as to health if required to do so.

Application to be made on forms obtainable from the County Public Assistance Officer, Abbey Street, Reading.

H. J. C. NEOBARD,
Shire Hall, Clerk of the Council.
Reading. (1364)

HOLIDAY AND RESIDENTIAL

20 words 3/- and 9d. for every additional 5 or part of 5 words

Rest Homes for Practising Nurses and Probationers. Sidmouth (2 gns. weekly) and Haslemere (£1 weekly).—Apply Secretary, Edith Cavell Homes, 21, Cavendish Square, London, W.1. (20)

Blackpool, North. 'Phone 51562, Roughlea Private Hotel, Empress Drive (adjoining Promenade). Modern, open all year. Tariff—Miss Mye scough, Member Royal College of Nursing. (68)

Lakeland Goodwill Holiday Party. Sociability and excellent accommodation till October. £5 5s. weekly. Organiser, Miss Oldmeadow, Mere Bank, Waterhead Esplanade, Ambleside. (1340)

MIDWIFERY

12/- per inch; minimum charge 8/-

BRITISH HOSPITAL FOR MOTHERS AND BABIES, WOOLWICH AND BRENCHLEY
(60 BEDS)
APPROVED FOR CERTIFICATE A

Vacancies for **Pupil Midwives.** Free training. Pocket money given. Ante- and post-natal clinics. Infant clinics.

Apply by letter to Hon. Secretary. (1130)

BIRMINGHAM MATERNITY HOSPITAL

Trained **Nurses** required as pupils at the Birmingham Maternity Hospital. Free training given Salary at the rate of £40 per annum paid during training to those signing for the Ministry of Health Grant.

Apply by letter to Matron. (12)

LEEDS MATERNITY HOSPITAL, HYDE TERRACE, LEEDS, 2
(140 BEDS)

Pupils trained and prepared for the Examination under the new rules of the Central Midwives Board, Part I.

Free training available.

Vacancies occur for general-trained Nurses and others in January, April, July and October.

For particulars apply Matron. (52)

CITY OF LONDON MATERNITY HOSPITAL, CITY ROAD, E.C.1
MIDWIFERY TRAINING SCHOOL

Pupils accepted for Part I Midwifery Training. Sister Tutor on Staff. Special reduction of fees under Ministry of Health Scheme. Facilities in certain cases for Free Training, with pocket-money allowance. Post-graduate training (including Analgesic Courses) for Practising Midwives. Facilities for Midwives anxious to obtain the Teacher's Certificate. Apply Matron. (1)

HULL MUNICIPAL MATERNITY HOME, HEDON ROAD, HULL
(EVACUATED TO GAINSBOROUGH)
VACANCIES FOR PUPILS

Approved as Midwifery Training School under C.M.B. Rules (new Section B), Part I, and associated with Hull Municipal Maternity Home District Midwifery Service in respect of Part II training.

Grants are available under the Ministry of Health Scheme for candidates taking Health Visitors' training or for nurses desirous of practising midwifery. Free training with £50 salary in certain cases.

For complete details, apply Matron. (71)

GENERAL LYING-IN HOSPITAL
Emergency Address
DIOCESAN HOUSE, VERULAM ROAD, ST. ALBAN'S, HERTS
(Midwifery Training School)

Approved for Part I Training under the rules of the Central Midwives Board and associated with four approved institutions for Part II from which Pupils can make their choice.

Reduced fees under the Ministry of Health Scheme. Free training available. Hospital certificate granted to successful candidate after examination.

For full particulars apply Matron. (4)

THE MOTHERS' HOSPITAL OF THE SALVATION ARMY AND DISTRICT NURSING SERVICES
LOWER CLAPTON ROAD, CLAPTON, E.5
HOSPITAL FUNCTIONING AS USUAL
Midwifery Training School (50 Beds)
Transferred to Safe Provincial Area

Pupils prepared for the examination of the Central Midwives Board.

Ministry of Health grant available.

Special terms for Trained Nurses.

Courses arranged in Analgesia. Prospectus can be obtained on application to the Matron. (1162)

MATERNITY NURSING ASSOCIATION, 63-65 MYDDELTON SQUARE, E.C.1

Midwifery Training School for Second Examination of the Central Midwives' Board. 626 district patients. Reduced fees under Ministry of Health Scheme. Free training with pocket money allowance in certain cases.

For vacancies apply to the Matron. (240/7)

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH
SAINT MARY'S HOSPITAL

Applications are invited for the following appointments:—

Pupil Midwives—in the Maternity Section (about 900 confinements per annum) for Part I training for the Certificate of the C.M.B. (The Hospital is affiliated with other hospitals for Part II training.)

(a) State-registered Nurses will be accepted for a period of 6 months at a salary of £50 per annum.

(b) Applicants without previous training will be accepted for a period of 18 months at a salary of £50 per annum.

Residential emoluments, laundry and uniform valued at £80 per annum, with war bonus at the Whitley Council rates for residential staff, viz., 5s. per week.

Forms of application may be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health, Northern Secondary School, Mayfield Road, Portsmouth.

F. J. SPARKS, Town Clerk.

Municipal Offices,
Royal Beach Hotel.
7th August, 1942. (1305)

ROYAL DERBY NURSING ASSOCIATION AND NIGHTINGALE HOME, DERBY
PART 2 TRAINING SCHOOL

Vacancies September, December and March. Free training with salary. Limited number.

Apply Matron. (1438)

NURSES DISENGAGED

20 words 2/- and 6d. for every additional 5 or part of 5 words

Nurse, fully qualified, general hospital, strong, active, would like care of invalid, surgical or medical case.—Box No. 1337, the "Nursing Times," St. Martin's Street, London, W.C.2. (1337)

MASSAGE

12/- per inch; minimum charge, 8/-

THE MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL, W.1
SCHOOL OF MASSAGE, MEDICAL GYMNASTICS, MEDICAL ELECTRICITY AND LIGHT AND ELECTRO-THERAPY

Women students prepared for all the examinations of the Chartered Society of Massage and Medical Gymnastics.

SCHOOL OF RADIOGRAPHY AND RADIO-THERAPY

Women students prepared for the Examination of the Society of Radiographers.

For full particulars, apply to the Lady Superintendent, The Middlesex Hospital, W.1. (28)

ROYAL SOUTHERN HOSPITAL LIVERPOOL

School of Massage, Medical Gymnastics and Medical Electricity. Honorary Medical Officer in Charge of the Electrotherapeutic and Massage Department:

H. Taylor, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.
Principal of School:
Miss E. L. Bartlett, T.M.M.G., T.M.E., C.S.M.M.G.

Students are prepared for all Examinations of the Chartered Society of Massage and Medical Gymnastics.

For full particulars apply to the Matron. (240/1)

SITUATIONS VACANT

12/- per inch or set solid as "Nurses Wanted."

VICTORIA HOSPITAL, BURNLEY

Ward Helpers required. Age over 31 years. Salary £40 rising, plus 4s. weekly war bonus. Apply, giving full particulars, to the Matron. (943)

Resident or non-resident **Assistant Cook** for staff cooking required immediately by Middlesex County Council. Experience in large kitchen essential." Cooking certificate an advantage. Resident salary £90 by £5 to £100 p.a. Full residential emoluments. Non-resident £2 17s. 6d. by 2s. 6d. to £3 2s. 6d. p.w. Uniform, laundry, meals on duty. Established and pensionable staff, subject to medical examination. Cost of living bonus. Application forms obtainable by sending stamped, addressed foolscap envelope to Matron "D" Clare Hall County Sanatorium and Hospital, South Mimms, Middx. (1095)

VICTORIA HOSPITAL, BURNLEY

Laundry Hands required. Age over 31 years. Salary £50—£55 per annum plus war bonus of 4s. weekly. Apply, giving full particulars to the Matron. (942)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF OLDHAM
BOUNDARY PARK GENERAL HOSPITAL
(430 BEDS)

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Cook.** Salary £74 13s. rising to £78 13s. per annum, together with emoluments.

Applicants must have had previous experience in Institutional Catering.

Application forms may be obtained from the Matron.

AMB/NW. 1.8.42. (1184)

NORTHAMPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL
(410 BEDS)

Laundry Superintendent (working) required, must have had experience in an institutional laundry. Resident or non-resident with usual emoluments, uniform provided. State age, experience and salary required. Apply to the Matron, with names for reference. (1164)

KENT COUNTY OPHTHALMIC AND AURAL HOSPITAL, MAIDSTONE

Required **Head Lady Cook.** Average number of persons daily 160. All electric modern Kitchen. Commencing salary £100 per annum. Board, overalls and laundry found.

Apply to Matron. (1207)

Male Companion Attendant for mentally deficient boy, 18. Only requires supervision and kindness. Live in—at modernised farm Leicestershire, run by bailiff for boy's father. Private furnished accommodation everything found. Excellent opportunity. State age, experience and salary required.—Box No. 1371, the "Nursing Times," St. Martin's Street, London, W.C.2. (1371)

Mother's Help or **Working Housekeeper.** Young couple, baby 18 months, bungalow. 30 miles (easy reach) London. Good home and outings.—Ward, 6, Troy Court, W.8. WEStern 2489. (1370)

Matron's and Sewing Maid required. Salary according to experience. Uniform provided. Apply with details and names for reference to Matron, Romsey & District Hospital, Romsey, Hampshire. (1347)

Experienced **Cook** required. Salary £175 per annum less £60 for board and lodging; use of uniform. Esse Cookers; daily numbers 120. Apply Matron, Bradford Auxiliary Hospital, Rawdon, near Leeds. (1317)

THE STAFFORDSHIRE GENERAL HOSPITAL, STAFFORD

Seamstress required. Salary £32 per annum with full board residence. Apply with particulars to Matron.

CONNAUGHT HOSPITAL, ORFORD ROAD, WALTHAMSTOW, E.17.

Ward Maids and **Kitchen Maids** required at once. All to live in. Apply to the Matron.

Resident Experienced **Maids** for all departments required by Middlesex County Council. Salary from £30 to £50 p.a., plus war bonus, according to age and experience. Full residential emoluments. Established and pensionable staff, subject to medical examination. Application forms obtainable from Matron "D," Central Middlesex County Hospital, Willesden, N.W.10 (Maids between 18/31 years inclusive, apply local Labour Exchange).

FOR SALE, Etc.

20 words 4/- and 1/- for every additional 5 or part of 5 words

South Devon, **Medical and Maternity Nursing Home** for sale. Seven beds, 3 permanent cases, fully booked to end of year, easily run by two nurses. Well built residence. Freehold. Owner retiring.—Price, inclusive, £3,500.—Box 1015, the "Nursing Times," St. Martin's Street, London, W.C.2.

Missing: Diana Matthew, since June 27th, feared lost memory following concussion. Age 21, 5ft. 9in., brown hair, greenish eyes, old scar left eyebrow, wearing green-flowered frock, fawn raincoat, brown shoes. No identity card. Information welcomer.—Matthew, 6, The Grange, London, S.W.19 (Wimbledon 1610).

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W. R. CRUSE, Town Clerk.

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Applications endorsed "Health Visitor and School Nurse" stating age, qualifications and experience, together with copies only (originals to be produced if required) of three recent testimonials, to be forwarded to the undersigned not later than the first post on Monday, 31st August, 1942. Canvassing in any form will be deemed to be a disqualification.

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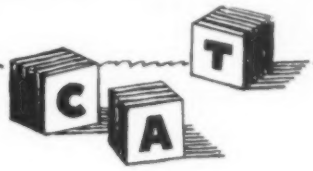

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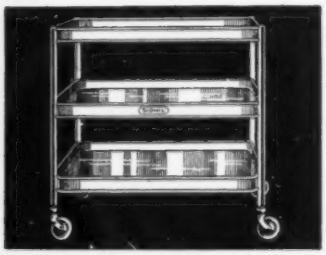

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